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LEO SPILLMAN IS NEW HEAD M'KINNEY RETAIL MERCHANTS FOR 1933

EARL WALKER VICE PRESIDENT—C. E. GRAVES RE-ELECTED SECRETARY FOR EIGHTH YEAR—ANNUAL METING HELD TUESDAY NIGHT JAN. 10TH—GOOD PROGRAM.

Success attended the annual meeting of the McKinney Retail Merchants Association at 7:00 o'clock Tuesday evening, January 10, both from the standpoint of attendance and interest in this yearly get-together meeting that always starts the New Year off for that organization.

Splendid addresses of a brief nature were made by County Attorney W. C. Dowdy, T. E. Craig, Hansford Ray and W. Hammond Moore, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and also of the Collin County Fair Association.

The meeting was held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium on the second floor of the Pope theater building where headquarters of the organization is jointly maintained with that of the local Chamber of Commerce. At the conclusion of the interesting program, A Dutch lunch was served, consisting of sandwiches, potatoes, pickles, salted peanuts, mints and cold bottled soda pop. Apples, cigars and cigarettes were also served.

G. G. McAlexander, prominent dry goods merchant, presided and concluded two years tenure of office as president of this long established McKinney business men's organization.

Secretary Chas. E. Graves gave a detailed report of the activities of the organization during 1932, showing it to have rendered a wonderful lot of real, helpful service to its members and to our county at large. Mr. Graves was given a vote of appreciation by the organization for his efficiency and was re-elected to the position for his eighth year

County Attorney W. C. Dowdy discussed the Texas bogus check law and explained in detail the workings of that measure which of so much interest all over the state.

T. E. Craig, who is county chairman for the Federal Unemployment direct aid being extended by the Refinance Corporation explained what that movement is and its purposes. Collin county has been granted $7,000 cash Federal aid for each of the months of January and February. This aid is extended to the state and the loan will be repaid with three per cent interest to the Federal Refinance Corporation in installments beginning in 1935, the liquidation being held out of the allotment of Federal good roads aid allocated to the state to match state funds for highway building. Mr. Craig also explained that this money is to be spent for labor on street and road work or for other public works. It is only available to labor that can't get employment otherwise and is at a low wage and only for those who must have help for the bare necessities for themselves and family until they can find employment otherwise of a more remunerative nature. Mr. Craig is assisted in his duties of administering the disbursement of administering the dis t.. this fund by Joe E. Largent, President Howard S. Ware of the local Chamber of Commerce, Secretary W. Hammond Moore of the same organization and by F. Dudley Perkins, local McKinney chairman. Other towns and centers of the county have their own local chairman to serve their respective communities, stated Mr. Craig in the same way as the unemployment situation is to be handled here in McKinney.

Hansford Ray talked on the benefits of the Retail Merchants Association, making one of the best talks on that subject ever heard here.

Secretary W. Hammond Moore of the local Chamber of Commerce discussed the problem of helping procure homes for tenant farmers who are ambitious to buy and pay for farms of their own by cooperating with land banks and other loan companies that had to repossess farms from their owners who were unable to pay interest and semi-annual installments under present low prices of farm products. Mr. Moore, through the Chamber of Commerce, is trying to secure some arrangements with these loan companies whereby they will take a certain part of the cotton and other crops raised on them for a period of years, say fifteen, and at the end of the period become owners in fee simple of the land they have been tilling.

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Leo Spillman Elected.

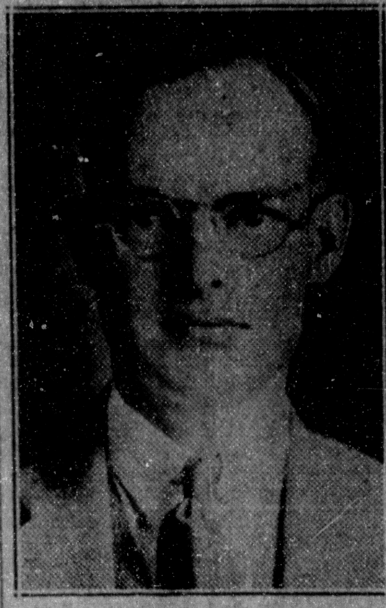
Leo Spillman, manager of the Elliott Lumber yard and one of the most active, public spirited, young business men of the city, was elected president of the Retail Merchants association for the ensuing year. Mr. Spillman is president of the local Lions club and chairman of the Finance Committee of the United Charities [illegible]

and county. He accepted the honor with words of warmest appreciation and pledged himself to help lead the Retail Merchants Association in a successful way during the year. Other officers elected were Earl Walker, vice president, and C. E. Graves, secretary for the new year.

The Board of Directors consists of Leo Spillman, Earl Walker, Ira Anderson, G. G. McAlexander, Clifton Dowell, Otis Nelson, Will I. Bryan, Rufus A. Furr and Frank Cook.

Hansford Ray, Clifford Thomas and [illegible] served as a nominating [illegible]

Heads Retail Merchants



LEO SPILLMAN

SALVATION ARMY ANNUAL DRIVE IS IN PROGRESS

The annual campaign for funds for the Salvation Army is now in progress in this city and county, according to W. D. Pedigo, who has visited this city and county for several years to assist in this campaign.

Mr. Pedigo, in a visit to our office shortly after his arrival here Wednesday, announces the Collin county advisory board as follows: Judge G. R. Smith, president; W. L. Brown, treasurer; Chas. M. Cooper, H. A. Finch, Sr., Thos. W. Franklin, W. H. Moore and Carl Melton.

Funds will be used carrying out this work in this part of the country, according to Mr. Pedigo, field representative, who will be here during the next two weeks engaged in this annual campaign. He points out that this is the only campaign to be staged in the county during the year for Salvation Army funds.

"The estimate for the county is the lowest ever asked and those with whom I have talked are of the opinion the amount will be easily reached before the drive has been finished.

Due to the present economic conditions, he adds, the demand on the organization has been by far the heaviest in years.

As everyone knows, the Salvation Army is a pioneer organization in relief work. The organization is non-sectarian and is worthy of all groups, races and creeds, actuated by Christian doctrine, appealing to all classes of people. The records show that the smaller towns and communities share a good part of this service.

Collin county's quota this year is only $400.00, Mr. Pedigo announces.

The improvements being made by J. H. Merritt, on his large two-story brick on North Tennessee street, is fast nearing completion. The building, for years, has been occupied by the Hamilton-Patterson Motor company, who will continue to occupy it. Not only the entire front of the building has been changed, but an addition of 20x75 feet on the rear or east end of the building has been put up.

J. J. Watson, residing in the northwest part of town who has been in the city hospital quite sick, has been removed to his home and continues in a serious condition.

MARRIAGE IS PERFORMED BY JUSTICE CRAUS

Justice of the Peace Erwin Craus, who took office January 1, 1933, performed his first marriage ceremony since induction into office Tuesday afternoon, when he united in wedlock Emory Rutherford and Miss Myrtle Bridges, two well-known young people of the Forest Grove community.

The impressive ceremony was performed in the McKinney Public library rooms, of which Miss Faye Wilcox is librarian, with the parents and other relatives of both young people in attendance. The young couple left after the wedding for a honeymoon in Dallas, after which they will return to the Forest Grove community to make their future home.

Both the bride and groom are well-known residents of the Forest Grove community, where they are held in high esteem by a host of friends.

DEATH CALLS MRS. S. J. MARSH AT PRINCETON

Mrs. S. J. March, aged 76, died at the home of her son, J. P. Ward, in Princeton Tuesday evening at 9 o'clock after a several months' illness. She was a native of McMinn county, Tennessee, where she was born December 22, 1856, but had resided in Texas for the past forty years, the past few years being spent in Collin county. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors are the following children: J. P. Ward of Princeton; Frank Ward, Stroud, Oklahoma; Mrs. Birdie Wingate, Oklahoma City and Mrs. Ollis Wade, Wichita Falls. A number of grandchildren, great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild survive also.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Church of Christ in Princeton. Interment followed in the cemetery of that place. John K. Wilson & Son, Princeton undertakers, were in charge of the arrangements.

FORMAL OPENING GAMBLE'S DRUG, STORE TONIGHT

H. Dewey Gamble and wife, who own and manage Gamble's Drug, on the northwest corner of the public square, announce their formal opening Thursday night from 7:00 to 10:00 o'clock. The general public is invited to attend and to inspect their new business. They recently succeeded Skillern's in this choice location where they have a complete line of drugs as well as an up-to-date and modern confectionery business.

Mr. Gamble is advertising in today's Daily Courier-Gazette and in the Weekly Democrat-Gazette their formal opening this evening. The personnel of their drug and confectionery store is composed of the following: Mr. and Mrs. Gamble, owners and proprietors; Van Wood, pharmacist; George Weatherly, clerk; Malcolm Furr and Leeman Belcher, fountain men; and J. W. Uselton, former Skillern manager, who is remaining over for a few days before he returns to Dallas.

FIRE DESTROYS M'KINNEY HOME TUESDAY NIGHT

A house belonging to Austin Holman, located on Jefferson street, was completely destroyed by fire Tuesday night shortly after 9:00 o'clock. An adjoining barn was only slightly damaged.

Mr. Holman and family were away from home at the time and are at loss as to how the fire started.

Insurance, totalling $1,700, was carried on the house and contents.

Chief J. S. McKinney and his fire boys made a speedy call.

Mrs. F. M. Bellows, Route 6, McKinney, renews her Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription for another year in advance. Thanks.

G. A. (Roddy) Stiff, Route 3, Box 7, Como, Texas, renews his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription for another year in advance. Mr. Stiff was born and reared at McKinney, being a member of one of our pioneer and most widely known families. He and his good wife own property both in the town of Como and some farm land near that town [illegible]

Was Rockne Gang Bomb Victim?

That the plane wreck that snuffed out the life of Knute Rockne (left), famous grid coach, and seven others near Kansas City, almost two years ago, was not an accident, but was caused by a time bomb intended to kill the Rev. John Reynolds (right), Notre Dame University priest, is the startling theory of Secret Service investigators who have been patiently probing the crash. The Rev. Reynolds was the witness to the slaying of Jake Lingle, Chicago newspaperman, who positively identified Leo Brothers as the slayer, and the attempt on his life was made by Brothers' gangster colleagues, according to the theory. The priest had reserved a place in the plane, but changed his mind at the last minute.

J. P. NENNEY RETIRED McKINNEY BUSINESS MAN 92 YEARS OLD WEDNESDAY

A TEXAS RANGER, VETERAN OF SOUTHERN CONFEDERACY AND PROMINENT McKINNEY RESIDENT AND BUSINESS MAN FOR NEARLY THREE QUARTERS CENTURY — UNUSUAL CHURCH AND SUNDAY SCHOOL RECORD.

For seventy-three years a resident of this city and county, J. P. Nenney celebrated his ninety-second birthday last Wednesday, January 11 at his commodious, two-story home, 601 North Church street. During this almost three-quarters of a century record of local residence, his busy life has been an eventful one—first as Texas Ranger, then assistant postmaster, Confederate soldier for four years, active merchant and business man then, until feebleness of advancing age forbade and made it advisable for him to retire to quietly spend the evening of life in well earned rest from the cares of a strenuous competitive world and existence.

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Born In Tennessee

James P. Nenney was born January 11, 1841, in Jefferson county, Tennessee, but since and now a part of Hamblin county of that state. When he was about grown, but before his twentieth year, he joined a company of five other emigrants bound for Texas. They came in a large spring wagon, requiring forty-two days to make the journey and arrived in McKinney on May 4, 1860. His companions on this long drawn out trip through sparsely settled prairies and woodlands were Jake Bewley, Joe Doak, Will Nenney (his brother) and John Taylor.

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A Texas Ranger

The day following his arrival in McKinney, he joined a company of Texas Rangers that Capt. Gabe Fitzhugh was organizing and left at once with it for the frontier country of West Texas. Captain Fitzhugh's company was one of seven strung out from Fort Belknap across the western part of the state just far enough apart to patrol between to prevent the Indians from passing through. He was mustered out of the Ranger service in the following October at Fort Belknap and returned to McKinney. After arriving here, he was offered the deputy postmastership by Ans Lowery, who was then serving McKinney as postmaster. Mr. Nenney had a fairly good education, wrote a good hand and had little trouble in conducting the McKinney postoffice in a business-like, satisfactory manner to the early settlers of the little village and surrounding country who came here for their mail.

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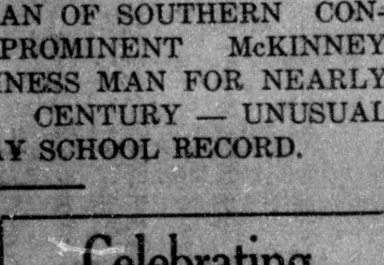
Re-Enters Military Life

The taste for military life that he got and liked during his six months' service in the Texas Rangers, together with the urge of patriotism, caused the young assistant postmaster to resign that position after the course of a few months to again enter army life. This time he enlisted in Company K, Sixth Texas Cavalry which was organized by James W. Throckmorton of McKinney, who was, a few years later, elected governor of Texas. Mr. Nenney remained with the company and saw much strenuous active service in various parts of the South during the four years [illegible]

Celebrating 92 Birthday



J. P. NENNEY.

fond of as a place of residence and took up again the activities of civil life. He clerked in stores, managed lumber yards, engaged in a mercantile business for himself and succeeded in a business way until a few years ago when, as above stated, on account of advancing age, he wound up his affairs as far as possible and retired to private life. He enjoys unusually good health for a man who is now within less than eight years of the century mark on the journey of life. His eyesight and his hearing are both deficient to some extent, but his mind remains quite active and his memory is fairly good. He greatly enjoys the visits from his friends, both young and old, and is always an interesting conversationalist. Nearly a year ago, his pastor, Dr. Robert L. Cowan, presented him with a gold pin with two bars, representing fifty years of faithful Sunday school, church, and prayer meeting attendance. At one time, he boasted a record of never having missed a single Sunday school, church or prayer meeting for forty-seven years. He became a member of the First Presbyterian church on the first Sunday following its organization, which event took place, September 27, 1874. The pastor of the church when it was organized was Rev. W. K. Marshall, D. D. Mr. Nenney served his church and Sunday school in almost every official capacity. His record of fidelity and loyalty is unsurpassed for regular attendance, if, indeed it is equalled by anyone in this or any other part of the county.

These editors join the host of other friends of this veteran McKinney retired business man and prominent Presbyterian layman in hoping that continued health may abide with him through the remainder of his days and congratulate him on his numerous [illegible]

WIDOW OF A FORMER MAYOR LAID TO REST

Funeral services for Mrs. Helen Bowlby, widow of the late ex-Mayor E. H. (Hunt) Bowlby, Sr., were held at 3:30 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon at the family residence, 307 North Tennessee street. Her death occured at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, January 10, at her late home after a year or more of feeble health. The suddent death of her son, Hunt Bowlby, Jr., on December 27, was a great shock to her in her frail condition and doubtless hastened her end. Services were conducted by her pastor, Dr. R. L. Cowan, of the First Presbyterian church. Interment followed in Pecan Grove cemetery where she was laid to rest by the graves of her husband who died March 6, 1903, and by her son, Hunt Bowlby, Jr., who preceded her to the grave by only two weeks. The Isaac Crouch Funeral home was in charge of the burial arrangements.

Active pall bearers were Howell E. Smith, Mayor Tom W. Perkins, W. B. Mitchell, Dr. E. L. Burton, Dr. Ben F. Largent, J. M. Andrews, Dick DeArmond, Billie Gee, W. R. Abernathy, Grover Furr, Dr. W. T. Hoard and W. C. Patterson. Many floral offerings bore mute but beautiful testimonial to the pure, lovely character of the deceased and were fit tokens of sympathy to the surviving son, daughter, grandchildren and other loved ones.

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A Native Texan

Miss Helen Smythe, daughter of Prof. Theodore and Clara (Shannon) Smythe, was born at Independence, Washington county, Texas, one of the earliest seats of learning in the days of the Texas Republic and earlier part of our statehood. Her father had taught successfully in New Orleans and then conducted a law school at Independence for a number of years. It was while Hunt Bowlby, Sr., was a student in the Smythe Law school, at Independence, that he met, wooed and won the hand of the daughter of his teacher. She also attended college in Tennessee as a young girl. After her marriage, at Independence, she came as a bride to McKinney and settled with her young husband on the home farm of his father, Judge Sylvester Bowlby, five miles west of McKinney in the Bowlby Schoolhouse community, a district school named in honor of this early pioneer settler. After sometime, she and her husband moved to McKinney where he became prominent in business, Masonic, civic and political circles. He was elected several times both as City Recorder and Mayor of McKinney and was prominent in Masonry and widely known over the state as one of its brightest and most useful members. Three children were born to the deceased, two of whom survive—Russell Bowlby of Texarkana and Mrs. Anna Bertrand who lived in the home with her mother and tenderly cared for her. Four grandchildren also survive, one of them being Shannon Bertrand and the other three being sons of Russell Bowlby of Texarkana. She is also survived by one sister and one brother—Mrs. Sallie Petty of Hugo, Oklahoma, and Gifford Smythe of Navasota, Texas. Another sister, Mrs. A. C. Buck, passed away at Sherman nine years ago.

The deceased was a home loving, sweet spirited Christian wife and mother of cultured mind and lovable character, whose life was constantly occupied in loving service, not only to her loved ones and relatives but likewise to her circle of neighbors and friends, especially in sorrow or times of trouble. A host of life-long friends extend sympathy to the bereaved children, grandchildren, sister and brother of this good woman.

J. A. McCormick of Blue Ridge was over Tuesday. Chatted with Mac. Have known him for many years. Always liked him.

Bedford Taylor and wife (nee Miss Ruby Bomar) have moved from Midland to Fort Worth. Mrs. Taylor is in McKinney and will remain some thirty days as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Al Bomar.

Mrs. H. D. Mouzon, Jr., 502 South Fannin street, Tyler, Texas, remits renewal cash for the Daily Courier-Gazette for another three months in advance. Mrs. Mouzon was formerly Miss Rosabel McKey, a popular young lady school teacher of McKinney before her marriage. She is the daughter of Mrs. J. A. McKey and a granddaughter of Mrs. Belle McWilliams, both of this city.

Thanks to Miss Eva Hughston, one of the most efficient lady teachers in the McKinney public schools, for Daily Courier-Gazette renewal subscription for three months in advance. Miss Hughston resides with her parents in Plano, travelling back and forth every day on the interurban to McKinney to her school work. She is a sister of Judge Wallace Hughston, prominent Texas lawyer and head of the Masonic fraternity of the state.

ALL MEMBERS OF STATE LEGISLATURE PRESENT AT OPENING EXCEPT ONE

LOWER BODY'S VOTE IS CONSIDERED VICTORY FOR FERGUSON FORCES; STEVENSON IS ELECTED TO SPEAKERSHIP BY 82 VOTES OVER A. P. JOHNSON.

Austin, Texas, Jan. 11.—Two modern records were established Tuesday when the Texas Legislature met in its forty-third biennial session. One was that the entire membership of the House, 150, was present, and the other was when the Senate failed to complete its organization on the first day, though both branches elected their presiding officers, an innovation in the Senate.

Coke Stevenson of Junction, Kimble county, was elected speaker of the House and Walter Woodul of Houston was named president pro tem. of the Senate, presiding in the absence of Lieut. Gov. Edgar A. Witt. Woodul was selected unanimously and Stevenson went over by 82 to 68 for A. P. Johnson of Carrizo Springs. Stevenson's choice is considered a victory both for the Ferguson administration and the liberal forces. Woodul has been Sterling floor leader since the latter assumed the Governor's chair. He was nominated by Walter Woodward of Coleman who campaigned for Sterling in two elections.

The result Tuesday showed that the Ferguson forces have control of the House, but the sentiment is not as strong in that direction in the Senate. However, Ferguson has a number of staunch friends in the upper house, all fighters. The Ferguson administration floor leader will be the young Senator from Gonzales, W. K. Hopkins. He is a liberal and was active on the side of liberalism in the recent campaigns. Clashes between Hopkins and Woodul may enliven the Senate occasionally.

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Message Expected Wednesday

Governor Sterling's biennial message may be read in one or both branches Wednesday, depending on the completion of organization.

After the result of the election for speaker had been officially announced, Johnson moved that "as an evidence of our desire for co-operation in behalf of Texas we instruct the chief clerk of the House of Representatives to cast the unanimous vote for Mr. Stevenson, and let the Journal show it." This was carried unanimously.

OUT OF TOWN RELATIVES AT DOBBS FUNERAL

Among the out-of-town relatives and friends attending the funeral of the late John Dobbs held Monday, January 2, at Princeton were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hiltpold and Mr. and Mrs. George Soutter, George Edward Soutter, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reinle, Ernest Henderson, Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. W. T. Dunn, all of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Hargroves, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Godwin, Mrs. S. G. Upchurch, Bud Upchurch, all of Minden, Louisiana; Mr. and Mrs. Bales, Terrell; Ray Johnson of McKinney.

The services were conducted at the Princeton Methodist church Monday, January 2, by the Rev. Chambers, pastor. Burial followed in Pecan Grove cemetery, McKinney, under the direction of John K. Wilson.

The deceased was killed at Terrell recently when he was stabbed while attempting to stop a fight. He was born in this county, where he was well known.

Survivors are his widow, Mrs. John Dobbs and baby, Johnny Fred, of Terrell; his father, S. J. Dobbs, Princeton; five brothers, Oscar, New York City; Clint, Glenn and Frank of Frederick Oklahoma, and Fred of Princeton; two sisters, Mrs. C. B. Blagg of Dallas and Mrs. Arthur S. Hiltpold, Chicago.

M'KINNEY MASONS ATTEND FUNERAL JUDGE ARCH ALLEN

Judge Wallace Hughston, grand master of the grand Masonic lodge of Texas, and Halsell S. Davis, deputy grand master for this Masonic district, both attended the burial of the late Judge Arch C. Allen of Dallas at Terrell Wednesday. The deceased was given a military funeral with Masonic rites concluding the service at the graveside.

Our readers will remember that the deceased was fatally injured in an auto wreck just south of Plano last Sunday morning as he was en route to McKinney to visit friends. Funeral services were conducted at the Grace Methodist church in Dallas by Rev. Guy F. Jones, assisted by Rev. George O. French and several other Methodist ministers of Dallas. The remains were then escorted to Terrell for interment in the family burial plot.

A state highway patrol escort accompanied the cortege to Terrell. At the cemetery gates the body was transferred to an artillery carrier. The colonel's horse, Russell, coparisoned and fully equipped but with the saddle empty and with boots reversed, followed the carriage in the procession to the grave. Masonic services were held at the grave.

Army airplanes dipped in salute and dropped flowers in tribute at the Memorial park.

At Austin the Texas flag flew at half mast on the state capitol.

Colonel Allen died at Dallas Monday of injuries received in an automobile accident Sunday.

P. R. Westmoreland, who is handling the farm for his mother-in-law near Rhea's Mill, is having some extensive improvements made on the place. He is combining the two sets of improvements into one, making the residence larger and adding some improvements in the way of conveniences and also building a garage. His tenant this year is Mr. Reeves of Bloomdale. The farm is owned by Mrs. J. W. Pafford, Post Office Box 433, Lynnwood, California, a suburb of Los Angeles. Mrs. Pafford is the widow of the late Sheriff J. W. Pafford.

Miss Pauline Cate, 1933 mid-term graduate, was honored Sunday with a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ferguson on North Church street. Turkey and all the trimmings that go along with it were served. Those present at the occasion were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cate, parents of honoree; Mrs. J. T. Mantooth and little daughter, Johnnie Marie, of Melissa; and Mrs. J. M. Thompson and son, Bill, of McKinney, and Arvol Lindsey.

Frank Cook, manager of the Wilcox Lumber company of this city, was called to Milford early Wednesday in response to a message that his mother was critically ill. A telephone message from there shortly before noon stated that there was no change in his mother's condition.

J. McCarty Dowell, who has been in the city hospital for some two weeks, is up and out to the delight of his many friends.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

From The Files of The Daily Courier-Gazette

(January 10, 1908.)

Claud D. White of Chamber[illegible]ville was in the city today. [illegible] and his wife recently returned from a three weeks' trip to Gallatin, Tennessee, the old home [illegible] Mrs. C. B. Moore, mother of Mrs. White.

Misses Cordelia Largent, Hel[illegible] Fox and Mary Abernathy [illegible] members of a house party [illegible] Dallas for a few days.

Dallas Morning News delivered at your door before breakfast every morning for only 75 cents per month—Rhea & Scott, agents.

Prof. N. D. Wall dropped in to renew his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription. He has been continuously on our subscription list for twenty years.

Ike Schwartz, formerly a [illegible] goods merchant of McKinney, [illegible] a guest of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] man and of Dr. and Mrs. [illegible] Burton. He is now a dry [illegible] merchant at Texarkana.

Miss Maggie Webb is [illegible] her sister, Mrs. E. W. [illegible] Van Alstyne. These [illegible] daughters of J. W. Webb [illegible] neat McKinney business [illegible]

O. Loddy & Son [illegible] to sell you [illegible]

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Six months in advance	.85
Three months in advance	.50

DELIVERED DAILY BY CARRIER IN McKINNEY	
One month	$ .50
Three months in advance	1.50
Six months in advance	3.00
One year in advance	5.90

DAILY BY MAIL IN TEXAS	
One month	.50
Three months	1.25
Six Months	2.25
One year	4.00

DAILY BY MAIL OUT OF STATE	
One month	$ .50
Three months	1.25
Six months	2.50
One year	5.00

THURSDAY, JANUARY 12, 1933.

Millionaires often envy a poor man's good conscience and robust appetite.

Adversity reveals the true character of a town the same as it does an individual. Judged by that test, McKinney is one of the most solid towns in Texas.

A man is rich who has true and tried friends, who can be depended on at all times—the embodiment of qualities that go to make up the highest and noblest of mankind.

No farmer can afford to pay taxes on idle land. Forest conservation on the farm has come to be a matter of economic necessity.

Truthful Thomas says running into debt does not worry him very much but that it is running into so darn many bill collectors is what gets him all fussed up each month. —Mineral Wells Index.

Auto manufacturers are revising their scale of prices downward to some extent in keeping with the trend towards economy made necessary by depressed wages and prices of almost every product turned out by the hand of man.

These editors are entering upon the new year in peace and with good will towards all men. Our highest ambition is to be of some service to our fellow man, to our city and our great county throughout the year.

Here is the way the McKinney Courier-Gazette, edited by Tom W. Perkins and Walter B. Wilson, sums up the situation: "Come on beer, come on booze. Exit bread, exit beans." —Sherman Democrat.

President-Elect Franklin D. Roosevelt seems to be keeping his own counsel on the make-up of his cabinet. He has a big field of capable timber to select from and we predict will wisely select his official family.

Never get discouraged over rain and mud. There are plenty of sunshiny days ahead. Variety is needed in weather as in other things. Guard against the habit of grumbling about the weather.

No organization equals the Chamber of Commerce in importance to every citizen, property owner or the people as a whole. Throw your support and cooperation behind it. The more support you give it the more power it will exert in serving the common interest of all.

Don't forget that whatever you accomplish during 1933 is going to depend almost entirely on your own efforts. Push your business, keep your hand on the steering wheel and sit steady in the boat. Then, when the year comes to a close, you are sure of more satisfactory results.

Depression has not prevented McKinney from doing some street paving during the past year. It was done by the city force. McKinney needs every street lifted out of the mud. It has about twenty miles of concrete, asphalt and gravel paving, some of the latter with asphalt top.

As a rule, local newspapers stick closer to their home town and receive less thanks than most any other institution. But, it is a fine feeling to have the consciousness that as an editor you are doing your full duty by your home town people in a civic way.

According to the Bonham Favorite, the man who thinks a newspaper ought to print anything and everything, especially his dope, "just to fill up space," ought to suggest to the dry goods man that he give his stuff away, "just to keep his clerks busy."

Have you visited the "Texas Curio Den" yet? If you haven't, you have missed a genuine treat. It is one of the most extensive collections of polished horns, old guns, pistols and other pioneer relics that is to be found in the state. It is owned by Col. G. J. S. Walker.

McKinney must be kept among the foremost in municipal progress during the new year. A progressive, united town with harmony and co-operation daily all combine to bring things to pass. These make people want to come to your home town to live or to trade.

About time to begin to plant onion seed or to set out onion slips. Collin has built up an enviable reputation as an onions producing area. It grows quality onions—better flavored with better storage qualities than any other area can grow.

An excellent corn crop was made in the great central corn growing areas of the United States in 1932. Corn is so cheap that in some counties in Kansas it can be bought by the ton for fuel, saving money as compared with the cost of coal.

A man may "sit tight" if he chooses and run his business, [illegible], or farm, or shop in a close fisted way. But such [illegible] get anywhere in real living. They are engrossed [illegible]. They are to be pitied, because failure is their [illegible]. They die unsung and are quickly forgot-

LOCALS-PERSONALS

A baby son was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Roberts of Frisco.

Mrs. Edith Maddox and two children of Frisco are visiting the former's sister in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Dyer of Farmersville have moved to Dallas.

E. B. McTeee of the police force remains quite ill at his home on South Wilcox street.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hillis and Mrs. Mattie Cole of Wylie were McKinney visitors.

Miss Florence Spradley of Allen has our thanks for Daily Courier-Gazette renewal recently sent in.

Mrs. W. F. Burton of Bells, Texas, is a guest of her brother-in-law, Dr. E. L. Burton, and wife in this city.

Billie Amelita Potter, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Potter, who has been ill with the flu, is reported better Thursday.

L. J. Gainey of the Chambersville community, had business in McKinney Wednesday. Mr. Gainey is a daily reader of the Daily Courier Gazette.

Mrs. O. M. Goddard, residing at 609 South Parker street, who has been quite ill for several days is much better, we are pleased to say.

Dr. and Mrs. Saye of Frisco had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Bryan and daughter, Mary Nell, and son Robert, and Miss Minnie Berry of McKinney.

J. E. Krodel, who has been getting his mail on Route 2, Plano, requests the Weekly Democrat-Gazette to change his address to R. F. D. No. 1, Rowlett, Texas.

Mrs. E. B. Jackson, wife of the pastor of the South Wilcox Street Methodist church, who has been quite ill for some time, is reported a little better today.

W. V. Miller, Route 1, Princeton, had his name recently added to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription list in that territory. We welcome him.

Mrs. Roy Largent, who has been confined to her home with illness for the past several weeks, is some better.

R. H. Cogburn has been a patient in the city hospital for several days. Mr. Cogburn is a well-known taxicab man. His many friends hope that he will soon be up and out.

To the regret of their many friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. Peyton Adams have gone to Plano, we trust, for only a short while. Good family and we regret to see them temporarily go away.

Bob Dunlap, well known McKinney painter and sign writer, is quite ill at his home on East Anthony street. Mr. Dunlap has many friends who hope he will soon be up and out.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Welch and little son, Billie, of Big Springs, have returned to their home after visiting Mr. Welch's step-mother, Mrs. J. T. Welch, in this city.

These editors acknowledge a welcome visit Friday from G. B. Yeatts, well-known Josephine business man. He was accompanied to the city by his friend, W. F. Myers.

Dr. R. L. Cowan has returned from Jacksonville, Fla., where he was called to attend the bedside of his aged mother, Mrs. J. C. Cowan, who was quite ill. However, she is now beginning to show improvement.

Rev. E. A. Bush, who has been quite ill at his home in Northwest McKinney for some two or three weeks, is much better, being up and out, which will be good news to his many friends.

W. E. Townley, who with his wife, Mrs. Townley, owns the Leader and who has been "under the weather" for several days at home, is again able to be at the store.

Mrs. O. S. Scott, our correspondent from the Chambersville community, is confined to her home with illness. Her many friends are hopeful that she may soon be up again.

Mrs. D. C. Hill tells us that our good friend, her husband, who has not been so well lately, is much better. This will be gratifying news to his many friends throughout the city and county.

The rebuilding and repairing of J. McCarty Dowell's brick building on North Kentucky street, occupied by White's tailor and beauty shop, which was recently damaged by fire, will soon be completed.

Miss Helen Leigh Ardrey, 61, longtime Dallas resident and sister of J. Howard Ardrey, widely known Texas and New York banker, died Monday in Dallas. The deceased was known in McKinney where friends regret to hear of her passing.

J. D. Browning, Box 91, Melissa, remits a dollar to renew his Democrat-Gazette subscription for another year in advance. The Browning family is an old one of the Melissa section. We appreciate his friendship and patronage.

LOCALS-PERSONALS

Mrs. N. A. Tinsley, aged 72, died Jan. 2 at her home in Garland. She was the mother of Mrs. A. G. Jacobs of Farmersville. Funeral services were held at the Garland cemetery. Surviving are six children.

Alvin Hines is up and out after a three weeks' confinement at his home on West Hunt street. Mr. Hines is one of our best known young business men, being engaged in the insurance business. His many friends are pleased to see him out.

R. C. Montgomery, manager of the American Railway Express company of this city, was called to Waco early Sunday by the serious illness of his father, R. E. L. Montgomery. His father has been in ill health for some time.

Mrs. W. G. Burrus, Box 121, Edgewood, Texas, remits a dollar on her Weekly Democrat-Gazette renewal subscription for another year. Mrs. Burrus spent a large part of her life in McKinney where her friends and acquaintances are legion.

Mrs. J. A. Caldwell, who has been sick for some time, is reported to be improving Wednesday. Dr. J. A. Caldwell, who has also been ill for the past few days, is able to be up some and is greatly improved.

M. A. Allison, Wylie and McKinney business man, suffered a stroke of paralysis recently and has been seriously ill for some time. His condition is still quite critical. He is at his home in Wylie. His cotton offices are in McKinney.

George Weatherly is with Gamble's drug store and confectionery. For nearly ten years he was connected with the Mitchell drug store and has many friends. He is a polite, courteous gentleman and invites his many friends to come in and see him.

C. J. Wright, Route 1, Princeton, is a new Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscriber, who recently enrolled. Mrs. Wright is the daughter of the late A. W. Compton, whose farm is located on the McKinney-Farmersville pike, just east of Climax.

G. Frank Matthews, a prominent Allen resident, was in McKinney Tuesday. Frank is a great admirer and booster and always has been of ex-Governor J. E. Ferguson. He regrets that he will not probably be able to attend the inauguration of Mrs. Ferguson at the state capital next Tuesday.

Mrs. Beck, the widow of the late Sheriff Gabe Beck, who resides with her son-in-law and daughter, former County Tax Assessor F. O. Board and wife, who live at 401 North Bradley street, is not in the best of health. For the past year, she has been confined pretty closely to her home.

John W. Heath of Prosper was in McKinney Thursday, paying taxes and having his auto registered for the new year. Mr. Heath was a free rural letter carrier until a few months ago when he retired on a pension after having reached the required age limit.

Mrs. R. L. Horn, residing with her husband in the Free Methodist college addition of Northwest McKinney, is ill with pneumonia. This will be regrettable news to Mrs. Horn's many friends, as she is one of the best liked women in our city and county.

John Crouch, Route 1, Celina, visited in our office for the purpose of enrolling for the Daily Courier-Gazette for a year in advance. Mr. Crouch is an intelligent, worthy farmer, who desires to keep posted on county affairs by reading his county seat daily. We welcome him.

Terry, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Heathington, fell off a truck while at play Sunday at the Underwood Chevrolet company filling station on South Tennessee street, breaking his arm. Although the injury is painful, we are glad to report that Terry is resting much easier.

Mrs. R. L. Maclin, formerly a resident of Farmersville, died at a Dallas hospital. Funeral services were held at the Rockwall Baptist church with interment in the Farmersville I. O. O. F. cemetery. Burial services were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Matthew Mueller, of the Baptist church of that city. She is survived by her husband and five children. She was a native of East Collin.

William S. Truelove, 57, prominent Hunt coutny farmer, died suddenly at his home in the Merit community. Although he was a native of Mississippi, Mr. Truelove came to Texas in 1897, settling in the Merit community, where he had since made his home. He was a devout member of the Methodist church. He is survived by his widow and eight children.

Former Mayor and State Senator Henry A. Finch, who has been quite ill for some days, is much better today. His children, Mrs. Floyd Nelson of Dallas and Mrs. Lyman Davis of Sherman, have returned to their homes after attending his bedside. Senator Finch is a veteran lawyer and successful business man of our city as well as prominent in official circles at various times during his [illegible] residence in McKinney.

COLLIN COUNTY NATIONAL BANK NAMES OFFICERS

RE-ELECT DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS FOR ANOTHER YEAR

The Collin County National bank held its annual election of directors Tuesday afternoon, at which all the directors were re-elected, as follows:

L. A. Scott, F. B. Pope, Henry C. Barlow, Henry W. Warden, Dr. J. C. Erwin, T. E. Craig, Giles McKinney, Thos. Johnson.

The directors held their annual meeting Thursday morning, Jan. 12, at which all officers were re-elected as follows:

L. A. Scott, president; Thos. Johnson, vice-president and cashier; Henry W. Warden, active vice-president; E. L. Kissinger, assistant cashier; N. J. Burkett, assistant cashier.

The fine group of employes, both men and women, of the Collin County National bank are:

Miss Edith Searcy, Edwin Garland, Guy Walden, Carroll Commons, James P. Arnold, Clyde Cunningham, Mrs. Jack Leonard, Mrs. Ava Hutchins, Miss Irene Marley, U. S. Arrington, W. L. Brown.

PASSING OF MRS. S. M. YOUNG AT NEW HOPE HOME

BURIAL ROYSE CITY CEMETERY WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. S. M. Young, 88 years, 10 months and 26 days old, died at 1:15 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, January 10, at her home in the New Hope community, east of McKinney, following a stroke of paralysis. The deceased was a native of Illinois in which state she was born February 14, 1843. She was a member of the Methodist church.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, January 11, at 1:00 o'clock in the Methodist church in Royse City.

Services were conducted by the pastor of the Methodist church in that city. Interment followed in the Royse City cemetery under the direction of the Isaac Crouch Funeral home of this city, who conveyed the body over land.

The deceased was preceded in death by her husband and six children. The following children survive: J. A. Young, New Hope; C. D. Young of Port Town, Washington; T. E. Young and M. H. Young, Mrs. Molly Barringer and Mrs. Mollie St. John, all of Fate, Texas.

Norman Cacenhead of Anna was here Thursday.

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Sufferers from rheumatism need more than the mere temporary relief that comes from the use of pain relievers. The system must be freed from the poisons of this agonizing disease.

When your throbbing, swollen joints begin to subside, when aching nerves and muscles begin to relax, when poisons begin to dissolve and drain from the system, you will know beyond a doubt that the RU-NO-MA prescription is removing the cause of your trouble. RU-NO-MA acts quickly and thoroughly—contains no opiates or narcotics—absolutely harmless. Ask your druggist about this amazing prescription. Read the guarantee on every box—don't suffer another day.

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Northwest Corner Square

CENTRAL STATE BANK ELECTS OFFICERS FOR '33

ALL DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS OF BANK RE-ELECTED

The annual stockholders' meeting of the Central State bank was held here Tuesday afternoon, January 10, at which all the bank directors were re-elected as follows:

Add G. Wilson, W. Avery Dowell, Wallace C. Wilson, A. Hardy Eubanks, S. P. Coffey, Dr. C. T. Lewis, Chandler Atkinson, E. G. West, Judge F. E. Wilcox.

At the board of directors' meeting held the same day, officers for the bank were also re-elected as follows:

Add G. Wilson, president; W. Avery Dowell, vice-president; Wallace C. Wilson, vice-president; A. Hardy Eubanks, active vice-president and cashier; W. Sims Cameron, assistant cashier; L. F. Drake, assistant cashier.

Other employes of the bank are the following capable and well-known residents: Titus Furr, teller; Lovejoy Comegys, teller; Guy Smith and Hoyt Copeland, bookkeepers.

JUDGE MERRITT RESUMES HIS PRIVATE PRACTICE

Judge E. W. Merritt inserts a professional card elsewhere in this paper to the effect that he is now back in his law office again in the Merritt building on East Virginia street for the practice of his profession, which was interrupted when he was elected county judge four years ago. Judge Merritt made an excellent record in the office of county judge and as presiding officer of the county commissioners' court. His knowledge of the law together with his business ability and his rugged integrity of character caused the people of the county to repose the utmost confidence in his administration.

He will now devote himself exclusively to the practice of law in the various courts of our state and solicits a share of the people's business in his profession. Judge Merritt is the soul of courtesy and accommodating spirit. He will appreciate a visit from his friends from over the county whom he will take pleasure in serving in any way that he can. He is very graceful for the honors that the good people of the county have showered upon him and is proud of his native county and of McKinney, which has practically been his home ever since entering the active practice of law.

OFFICERS OF MELISSA NAT'L. BANK CHOSEN

BANK PAID REGULAR ANNUAL DIVIDENDS DECEMBER 31

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Melissa National bank Tuesday, the following directors were re-elected for the ensuing year:

J. E. Gibson, J. M. Graves, C. R. Osburn, L. A. Scott, E. L. Wallis and H. S. Wysong.

Immediately following the stockholders meeting, officers were re-elected as follows:

J. E. Gibson, President;
J. M. Graves, vice-president;
H. S. Wysong, cashier;
F. C. Ogilvie, assistant cashier;
Miss Alice Douglass, bookkeeper.

The bank paid the regular annual dividend to the stockholders on December 31st.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our appreciation for the sympathy and many kindnesses shown during the recent illness and death of our son and brother, John Dobbs.

Dr. S. J. Dobbs and family.

W. S. Powell of Anna was a McKinney business visitor Friday.

LOCALS-PERSONALS

D. L. Shields of Sedalia transacted business in McKinney one day this week.

Tax Collector N. D. Ready is confined to his home Friday with illness.

Mrs. Pat Estep and daughter, Elsia Pat, of Anna, were shopping in McKinney Thursday.

Buster Fleming, Valdasta community resident, greeted friends on our streets Friday.

Bert Brinlee and son Ray of Anna greeted friends in McKinney Thursday.

W. C. Smith and W. A. Nevil, trustees of the Moreland school, were here Thursday transacting business.

L. H. Hinsley, formerly of the Trinity community, but now of the Winningkoff community, was in the city Friday on business.

J. W. Reece, Cotton Belt agent at Wylie, has our thanks for a dollar to enroll his name on the Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription list for the ensuing year.

Charles Bloss of McKinney was among the Baylor university students who won a place on the honor roll for the fall quarter by making an average grade of more than 85 on all courses taken at that time.

Mrs. George Medcalf, who resides out on Route 1, Anna, called by our office and ordered the Weekly Democrat-Gazette sent to her address. We thank her for her subscription.

Mrs. L. A. Stewart, who with her husband, lives about five miles east of McKinney, invests a dollar for another year's subscription to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette. We appreciate the continued patronage of these long-time friends.

J. A. Rexroat, agrocery merchant of Copeville, is now reading his home county news through the columns of the Weekly Democrat-Gazette—Collin county's oldest published newspaper. Glad to enroll him.

C. Frye, a substantial Southeast Collin farmer, getting his mail at Lavon, is a late addition to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription list for another year in advance. Mr. Frye is the owner of a good farm.

Clyde Lewis, who has been barbering in McKinney for several years, is now with the Midway Barber shop on East Louisiana street. He is using our classified columns to invite his old patrons and new ones, too, to visit him at his new location.

Former County Commissioner C. C. Whitt was taken suddenly ill at his home in Blue Ridge Thursday afternoon. Reports from his bedside state that he is some better today, which will be encouraging news to Mr. Whitt's many friends over the county.

We are glad to see J. R. Wilson up and about town. Mr. Wilson resides at 1102 Hamilton street, owns his home as well as other property. He has a fine family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson having been married thirty-eight years. Several months ago, he unfortunately injured his right hand, and has not been able to do much work. On account of sickness in the family, he has been up town very little. We are pleased to see our good friend up and about.

WE ARE THANKFUL

To one and all who so kindly and feelingly assisted us in the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, we have not words to adequately express our deep appreciation.

A. W. Allen and family.

LOCALS-PERSONALS

Mrs. Jones, wife of former Mayor M. T. Jones, has been a patient in the hospital for four or five days. Her condition remains very serious but hopes are entertained for better news from her bedside by the many friends of the family in the city and from over the county.

Mrs. George M. Wilson recently visited her niece, Mrs. Richardson and family, at Athens, Texas. She made the trip from McKinney by auto with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dinsmore of Sherman, who came by for her. Mrs. Dinsmore and Mrs. Richardson are sisters.

Cary Ray and wife and Moody Ray, wife and little 2-year-old son, Joe Moody Ray, have returned to their homes in Dallas after spending part of the holidays with McKinney relatives. Cary and Moody are sons of Mrs. R. P. Ray of this city, while their wives are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davidson, who lives in northwest McKinney.

H. G. Corbett, residing on South Bradley street, who has been seriously ill at his home for the past several weeks, was reported to be critically ill at press hour, which will be sorrowful news to his many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Corbett moved to McKinney from Bradford, Pa., several months ago. They are the parents of Mrs. Dan Scott.

Buford Welch, keeper of the Hill Crest Country club and grounds, has contributed 100 pounds of fresh hog meat to the United Charities of McKinney. The meat was sent in to J. S. (Scotty) Forsyth Wednesday to be distributed among the needy of the city and community, C. L. McTee bringing it in for the donor. This gift is greatly appreciated by the local charities organization, who commend the spirit shown by Mr. Welch.

This editor chatted a little while with Brawley Oates, who has been a "station fixture" at the McKinney Dry Goods company for 30 years. Mr. Oates is a native of Collin county and a very fine courteous and polite gentleman, has oodles of friends and no man in the county keeps busier. He and Dick DeArmond worked together so long they favor each other and Dick was a humdinger. Dick quit several months ago but Brawley is going on forever. We always like to talk with Brawley because he has been a friend to these editors all the way along.

Dr. R. A. Largent, proprietor of the Golden Glow hatcheries of this city, is advising prospective customers to book their orders now, stating that his prices are low in keeping with the times. The Golden Glow hatchery does custom hatching—96 to 100 eggs per tray, one to five trays, $2 each; five to ten trays, $1.50 each; ten or more trays, $1.25 each. He urges you to bring your eggs any day you wish. The Golden Glow has a 200,000-egg capacity, which abundantly insures the best of service for the least possible expense.

Charles E. Saigling, prominent Plainview business man, was a McKinney visitor Friday. For nine years he lived here, being a member of the big Crouch-Saigling hardware, furniture, and undertaking firm of our city, but left here twenty-two years ago for Plainview. He owns several thousand acres of farm and ranch land in that section of West Texas and in New Mexico. He was called to Plano recently by the death of his aged mother, Mrs. C. Saigling. His brother, George Saigling, also of Plainview, came with him. George Saigling has been city secretary of Plainview for the past ten or twelve years until recently retiring from the office.

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BUSINESS AT THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT NEWS.

Hon. F. E. Wilcox, judge.
L. A. Sears, clerk.
Mrs. Euel Ford, Deputy.
W. C. Dowdy, county attorney
Leon Moses, assistant.
Miss Alta Lewis, assistant.

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Court To Convene Monday

The January term of District Court will convene Monday morning.

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New Suits

Kay Hayes vs. Texas and New Orleans Railway Co., suit for personal injuries.

Irene Bagwell vs. Clifford Bagwell, divorce.

O. L. Greer vs. S. E. Dean, suit on note.

COUNTY COURT NEWS.

Hon. J. Frank Harrington, judge.
Mrs. Pearl Strother, clerk.
Miss Bessie Keen, chief deputy.

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Probate

R. M. Quisenberry has made application to probate will of Mrs. Lena B. Quisenberry, deceased.

Mrs. Anna Bertrand has made application to probabte will of E. H. Bowlby, deceased.

Mrs. Laura Pearl Watson has made application to probate will of J. P. Watson, deceased.

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Marriage Licenses

O. M. Lindsey and Pauline Cate.
L. P. Atkinson and Dela Claton.
Delma Lee Branch and Alta Mae Burgess.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT

The regular monthly session of the Commissioners' Court convened Monday morning. Only routine business is being transacted.

JUSTICE COURT NEWS.

Hon. Erwin Craus, J. P.
John A. Record, constable.
Hester Lewis, deputy.

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The Constable's department has made the following arrests during the past week: One for theft, four for swindling, one for burglary.

The sheriff's department has made the following arrests with charges filed in Justice Court: One for drunkenness.

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Marriage Performed

Justice Erwin Craus performed his first marriage ceremony since he went into office on Monday. He tied the nuptial knot for Emory Rutherford and Miss Myrtle Bridges of the Forest Grove community, with a nice ceremony and in a very composed way, as if nothing out of the unusual was happening.

The marriage was performed in the McKinney Public library rooms, of which Miss Faye Wilcox is librarian, with the parents and other relatives of both young people in attendance. The young couple left after the wedding for a honeymoon in Dallas, after which they will return to the Forest Grove community to make their future home.

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT NEWS.

G. J. S. Walker, sheriff.
Jim Douglass, office deputy.
George Eubanks, riding deputy.
Stony Allen, jailer.

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Constable John Record arrested O. W. Wattley (col.) on a capias-profine. The negro was sent out to the county farm.

Sheriff Walker arrested M. D. Durham on a charge of swindling. The party was sent out to the county farm.

Constable Record arrested David Gilcrease, on a charge of theft. The party was sent out to the county farm.

Deputy Constable G. M. Farr of Wylie arrested Chester Comer on a charge of thert. The party is in jail.

Sheriff Walker arrested Bill Taylor at a Dallas hospital on a charge of theft. The party is in jail.

Constable Record arrested Bryant Grandstaff on a capias-profine. The party was sent out to the county farm.

BURGLARS BREAK INTO PRINCETON DRUG STORE

Burglars some time Thursday night broke into the W. B. Mitchell drug store at Princeton, making away with four or five cartons of cigarets, a carton of smoking tobacco and some flashlight batteries. The theft was not discovered until L. P. Barnes, who manages the business, opened up Friday morning.

The unwelcome intruders gained entrance into the store through a back window. The knob was knocked off the safe, although entrance was not gained therein and the contents were left unmolested.

Sheriff G. J. S. Walker went to Princeton early Friday morning to investigate the robbery.

W. G. C. Horn and wife recently bought a home on South College street and moved to McKinney. Mr. and Mrs. Horn are longtime residents on their farm near Rhea's Mill. Some years ago Mr. Horn served as deputy sheriff of Collin county for two or three years.

JESS BRACKNEY HELD UP BY LONE BANDIT

Jess Brackney of this city was held up by a lone bandit about 9 o'clock Thursday night on Canton street in Dallas. Mr. Brackney, who drives a truck, in conversation with this editor Friday morning, declared that he was leaving Dallas, headed toward McKinney, when a man, who evidently boarded his truck unaware to the driver, stuck a revolver into his back and told him to keep driving.

"Drive down that cross street," the bandit commanded. After the driver had rounded the corner and proceeded to stop, he was ordered "to move on." About three hundred yards down the street the man with the gun ordered Mr. Brackney to stop and to get out of the truck, relieving him of $35.

Abandoning the truck the bandit ordered the driver to retrace the route that he had come and not to look back.

Mr. Brackney reported the hijacking to police, furnishing them with a description of the man. He is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mooneyham of this city.

PUTS ONION SLIPS ON COLD STORAGE HERE

These editors appreciate a visit from A. L. Carpenter of Farmersville who has been a reader of these papers for lo, these many years. Mr. Carpenter informed us that he had just brought his first truckload of onion slips to McKinney, placing them in cold storage in the vault of the Collin County Cold Storage company, owned and operated by Messrs. Tom M. Scott and Karl Talkington.

Mr. Carpenter has 100 acres devoted to onion culture in the Raymondville (South Texas) section where he raises fine Bermudas and Crystal Wax onions. He plans to bring more of his onion slips to McKinney in the near future, placing them on cold storage here, preparatory to disposing of them this spring when the time comes for setting them out in Collin county. Mr. Carpenter believes that onion acreage in South Texas will be decreased probably 12 per cent this year.

Mrs. Annie White, Route 1, Wylie, is a new Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscriber. She lives on her farm, three miles east of Wylie, which her son, E. C. White, cultivates for her. We gladly welcome Mrs. White to our big subscrition list.

the children and handkerchiefs for the adults. A number of the merchants of the city and members of the church made donations for the purpose.

The president asked the hearty cooperation of all members in the year's work to come.

Following reports from all officers the meeting was adjourned with the Mizpah benediction.

Shirley Taylor of Melissa greeted friends on our streets Friday.

While Mrs. W. P. Abernathy's automobile was parked in front of their home Friday, two men in a car stopped and took her purse containing several dollars. No trace has been found of them since. This carries out the theory that all cars should be locked regardless of where you park them, since so much petty thieving is going on.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Love, young married couple of this city, are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine baby boy, who arrived at their home Dec. 31. The mother and baby are getting along nicely. The doting grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Love, are also proudly boasting of their first grandchild. The mother was before her marriage Miss Leba Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Robinson of the Chambersville community.

Judge L. C. Clifton, who retired as justice of the peace of Precinct 1 on Jan. 1, has moved back to his same old office in the Pope building upstairs on the east side, which he occupied many years prior to accepting the position as justice of the peace. Judge Clifton will again enter into the active practice of his profession. He is recognized as one of our leading barristers and a first-class Christian gentleman, whose friends are legion.

Van Wood has accepted a position with Gamble's drug store and confectionery, recently purchased from Skillern's. He has been a resident of McKinney for nine years, and has been in the drug business for many years. He is a registered pharmacist, having been in the drug business practically all his life. He is prominent in church and civic affairs and has many friends. Mr. Wood will take his new place Monday. He solicits his many friends to give him a visit.

G. G. Grimes, commercial artist, formerly of Mineral Wells, has arrived in McKinney, where he is moving his painting equipment and announces in an advertisement elsewhere in today's Daily Courier-Gazette that he is now ready for business. He is located at 212 Colorado street, his telephone numbers being 448 and 251. His card shows that he exceis in sho-cards, displays, and electric signs. Mr. Grimes can be found during the day at the Dunlop Tire & Rubber company store here, of which Beecham Gerrish is manager.

Kinneth Meador White, 5-month-old baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah White of Greenville, sick only seven days, died in that city Jan. 4 and was buried in East Mount cemetery, Greenville. Rev. E. F. Lancaster of Wylie, brother-in-law of Mr. White, conducted the funeral. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Meador, grandparents of the baby; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Coffman, R. L. Martin, Mrs. Boone Johnson and C. O. White, all attended the funeral from McKinney. Mr. and Mrs. White formerly resided in McKinney where they have many friends who regret to learn of the death of their sweet young baby.

MISS MAE HALL WILL ORGANIZE NEW CLASS

Miss Mae Hall, who is teaching business school at 316 South Tennesseee street, announces the organization of a new class on Monday, January 23. She offers courses in short-hand and typewriting; bookkeeping, business English, spelling, and other subjects pertaining to secretarial work. Several of her graduate pupils who are attending college, have received credit for the work received in Miss Hall's school, by taking an examination. To the graduates and others interested in this course of study, call Miss Hall and get the particulars, tuition fee, etc.

Melissa was represented at the county-wide Prohibition rally held in McKinney Sunday afternoon by Hamp S. Wysong, the banker, former County Commissioner J. L. Gibson; J. E. Dickerson, a merchant, and a number of other citizens of that little city, eight miles north of McKinney and surrounding territory. They all pronounced the addresses by Dr. George W. Truett and Dr. Wallace Bassett as masterpieces of convincing logic and soul stirring eloquence.

J. T. Brigham renews his Weekly Democrat-Gazette for another year in advance. Mr. Brigham lives on Route 1, Wylie. Mr. Brigham and wife recently had their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jones of Fort Worth, visiting them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Addington, living on Route 6, McKinney, have had their relatives, Mrs. [illegible]

$100.00 In CASH PRIZES

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It makes STUNNING tablecloths! Mercerized Cotton DAMASK

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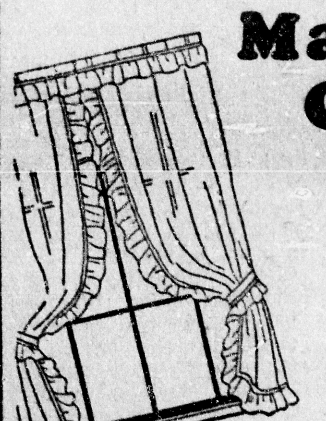

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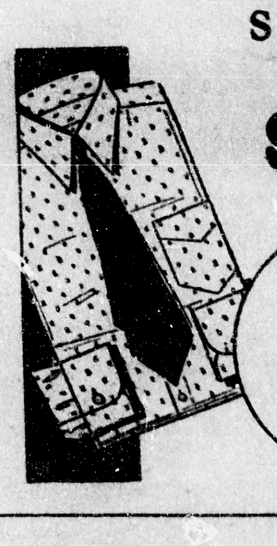

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36 in. "New Tone" Dress Prints Fast Color Smart Patterns 7½c
36 in. Avenue Prints 10c
36 in. Malabar Prints 12½c
36 in. Rondo Prints 14c

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FUNERAL HELD THURSDAY FOR MRS. W. M. BALL

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Ball, wife of the late W. M. Ball, who died at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday night, Jan. 4, at her home near Prosper, were held last (Friday) afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Walnut Grove Presbyterian church of which she was a member. The services were conducted by her paster, Rev. John Gaines, with burial following in the cemetery at that place under direction of the Sam J. Massie & Son Funeral home of this city.

The deceased was at the time of her death 77 years 1 month and 3 days old. She had been ill with pneumonia fourteen days.

Mrs. Ball was born Nov. 30, 1855 in Cooke county, Tennessee. She married the late W. M. Ball and came to Texas many years ago. Her husband, who was a well-known West Collin farmer, died in 1929.

She was the mother of five daughters and one son of whom five survive as follows: Inman Ball, living at home with his mother; Mrs. R. G. (Granger) Carroll, Route 1, McKinney; Mrs. Robert R. Hensley of Floydada, Texas; Mrs. Tom Hunt of Florence, Ariz., and Mrs. Lee Guinn of Sherman. One daughter, Martha, died at the age of 9. She is also survived by one brother, John Striplin, a well-known farmer living three miles southeast of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Sneed and daughter, Eunice, have returned to their farm near Lucas after a ten-year stay in Waxahachie where their children have graduated in school there. This family is highly regarded by all who know them. They own and live in the old homestead, settled by the late Robert Sneed and wife, parents of the Sneed family. They are welcomed back to Collin county, especially by their old-time neighbors in that section.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Jones of Summerville were McKinney visitors, visiting Mr. Jones' mother who is ill at the city hospital, being the wife of former Mayor M. T. Jones.

Met up with Jim Barnett, a fine prince of a fellow. Jim has been sick and at home practically all of the time for the last eight months. Now much better. For twenty years, he was one of the faithful employes of the Collin County Mill and Elevator company. As his health is fast improving, in a few months, he expects to be able to go back to his old job. No finer man in the city or one who has more friends than Jim Barnett. These editors are glad to see his fast recovering his usual good health.

R. R. Jones, Route 4, Farmersville, sends a dollar to enroll his name for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for the ensuing year. Mr. and Mrs. Jones have lived in Collin county for a little more than forty-two years. They are a fine farm couple. Mr. Jones and son have raised ninety-two bales of cotton from their last two crops of 1931 and 1932. Mr. and Mrs. Jones greatly enjoy the presence in their home of their granddaughter, Sara Ann Jones. We welcome these good people to our subscription list.

LARGE CONCOURSE AT FUNERAL RITES CALVIN COOLIDGE

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Northampton, Mass., Jan. 7.—Amidst an imposing gathering of notables, Northampton, his adopted town, today bade farewell to Calvin Coolidge and wished him well on his journey home.

The nation bowed its head in memory of the president of a golden era, a man from the ranks, with faith in homely things, a man of restraint.

The little Edwards Congregational church, the church of the Coolidge family, became the mecca of distinguished mourners from every section of the land.

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Hoover in Front Pew.

With President Hoover, his successor in the White House, occupying a front row pew, the highest in public and private life attended the brief funeral services before the body was taken for burial back to the native Coolidge farm hamlet in Vermont.

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NORTHAMPTON, Mass., Jan. 7.—Calvin Coolidge lay Friday night in the home where he died Thursday, in the town where he had started his career as a young lawyer.

Saturday he goes back into the Vermont hills to Plymouth, his native hamlet, there to rest beside his father and his son.

Simple services marked his departure from the city he came to as a young man and leaves as a former president of the United States.

President and Mrs. Hoover and scores of other important personages planned to attend the services. Most of the money marts of the country will be closed. The national congress will not convene. Cannons will boom a requiem at the military posts throughout the nation.

In comparison, the services for the former president lasted no longer than twenty-five minutes. Only three pieces of music were included in the ceremonies. There was no eulogy, no address; with strict simplicity the keynote.

FUNERAL HOME WITH MODERN EQUIPMENT

PERSONALS-LOCALS

Buster Fleming, Valdasta community resident, greeted friends on our streets Friday.

Night Watchman Frizzell of Princeton had business in McKinney Friday.

R. F. Finley, hustling north side saberdasher, is up from the flu.

Dugan Scribner of Chambersville was in the county seat on business Friday.

Jack Scribner of the Stony Point community was in the city Friday.

L. A. Stewart, Route 5, McKinney, dropped in to pay for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette to be sent in the future to his son, Clyde, who is employed in the Dallas postoffice. L. A. Stewart and wife have been longtime friends of this paper and these editors. We greatly appreciate them.

Mrs. J. T. Welch of this city is in receipt of an announcement of the arrival of her first great-granddaughter, Lois Annette, six and half pound daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Fortner of Houston. Mrs. Fortner was before her marriage Miss Annette Boyer being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boyer of Houston.

Mrs. W. T. Beverly of Austin, who is a guest of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Newsome, called in and ordered the Weekly Democrat-Gazette to go to her address in Austin for 1933. Mrs. Beverly is a native of this county, and the wife of Judge Tully Beverly, deceased. Her son, Dr. Beverly, in Austin, was one of the outstanding physicians and surgeons of that section of Texas.

Job Dowell tells us that he will move to Dallas about the fifteenth. He is working in the circulation department of the Dallas News. Jack Estes, a former McKinney man, who learned the business on the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette, is Job's boss. When two McKinneyites like Jack and Job tackle a business, it will go over.

John DeGracier of Dallas, one of that city's outstanding business men, being engaged in the wholesale jewelry and diamond business, was a business visitor in McKinney Thursday, coming up to see his friend, Dr. J. S. Bridgefarmer. Mr. DeGracier is an outstanding fraternalist of Dallas, being a thirty-third degree Mason and past potentate of Hella Temple (Shrine). While here he called on his personal friends of many years' standing, Mayor Perkins and Judge Wallace Hughston, grand master of the Grand Masonic Lodge of Texas.

Wade Timmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Timmons, who reside about nine miles southeast of McKinney in the Winningkoff community, was a business visitor in our office Friday, calling on these editors. Wade, who is a graduate of McKinney high school, and who attended A. & M. college, has for the last year or so been connected with a large publishing company as salesman in this section of Texas. Mr. Timmons, who is an energetic, fine-looking young fellow, tells us that business in his line has been fairly good during the past year. He enjoys the work very much and although he travels much is always glad to get back to good old Collin, his home county, and have the opportunity of eating some of his mother's biscuits again.

FOOTE

By Mrs. J. E. Smith

Houston Chandler and family of Dallas spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Chandler.

Tom Robertson and family of Sanger spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clayton.

Mary Blanche Smith spent the holidays with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Woods of Houston spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Carrell.

Mrs. R. G. Carrell is attending the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Will Ball, in the Rhea Mills community, who has been ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Jim Malone, who has been confined to her home with rheumatism for some time, left Wednesday for Tioga where she will take treatment.

H. C. Barlow and daughter, Miss Elizabeth, and son Henry Jr., have been ill with the flu.

School began Monday after a week's holiday.

Mrs. Irene Wells spent the week with homefolks at Renner.

Mrs. Troy Scalf has been attending the bedside of her sister, Mrs. James Malone, who has been quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baker of Loco, Texas, are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. J. E. Smith.

Miss Dorothy Carrell spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Carrell.

W. H. Washum has been ill with the flu.

Joe Johnson and family visited Noah Majors and family in McKinney Tuesday.

Jim Field Malone is ill with the flu.

Mr. Moore and family of Sulphur Springs have moved to our community.

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PERSONALS-LOCALS

Mrs. A. S. (Mat) Wheatley has purchased a nice corner lot from C. J. Smith, being at the corner of North Coleman and West Erwin streets, purchased the house where she had been living, moving same to this lot, Bill Love, the house mover, doing a good job. Mrs. Wheatley has added many improvements to the place, repainting and repapering same and will occupy as a home.

J. E. Anderson is moving to Collin county from Wilson, Carter county, Oklahoma. He is a son of Mrs. Ida Anderson, 105 South Church street. About four weeks ago Mr. Anderson fell and badly injured one of his limbs, but is now up and about on crutches, doing well. He tells us that he will move onto the Mrs. Claude Manning farm in the Bloomdale community. We are glad to welcome this fine young man back to old Collin county.

Bobby Jewel Hendricks, aged one year and seven months, died in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hendricks, here, Sunday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock. Funeral services were held this (Monday) afternoon at 12:30 o'clock at the family residence at 502 Barnes st. Interment followed in Highland cemetery, about ten miles north of McKinney, under the direction of the C. C. Harris funeral home. Rev. Greer conducted the services.

When Homer Teler and Sidney Holmes, Marlin youths, were confronted on State Highway No. 6 south of that place by a reptile with its head reared in the air as high as either of theirs they grabbed clubs and killed it.

They took the snake to Marlin where it was identified as a member of the boa constrictor family. Measuring eleven feet in length and weighing twenty-one and a half pounds, it is believed to have escaped from some itinerant show.

This editor met up with T. A. Dorsey, who will be 89 years young in February, 1933. Mr. Dorsey has been at home, tied up with the flu for two or three weeks, but Old Sol has shined brightly during 1933 thus far, and he is now up and about, greeting his many friends. He is a fine old-time Christian gentleman, a Confederate soldier, who believed he was right in '61 or '65 and will continue to believe he was right until he is summoned Home. Both of these editors think heaps of this fine man and trust that he may continue to live long to do much good for the people.

N. M. Mott, who recently bought a nice home on South Chestnut street, is having same remodeled, inside and outside, and when completed will be one of the most modern in the city. Mr. Mott has been with the city of McKinney for about 17 years, two years with the street force and for the past 15 years in the waterworks department, being night chief engineer at the pump station. He is a quiet, unassuming man, always going about attending to his own business, never meddling with other people's. The city hasn't a more faithful or more conscientious worker than N. M. Mott. When the improvements shall have been completed on his new home, although he owns the home he lives in, he will occupy the new structure as a home.

By referring to our classified columns our readers will note that the K. T. barber shop, J. R. Haney, proprietor, has moved from its former stand on East Louisiana street, to entirely new quarters in the Wilson building, second door south of the Collin County National bank. The building has been remodeled, repapered and repainted and arranged especially for the K. T., which is one of the well established barber shops of our city and which is now one of the best equipped and neatest.

Mr. Haney, the proprietor, has had about ten years' experience barbering in McKinney. He has a five-chair shop, with skilled workmen presiding over each. His prices are 15 cents for shaving and 25 cents for haircut.

He solicits the patronage of men, women, and children, and cordially invites you to give the K. T. shop a visit when needing anything in the way of barber work done. He will appreciate it and is inviting you through the columns of this paper to visit his shop.

CRAZY CRYSTALS

KEEPING FIT FOR TOMORROW

Thousands of cases of lost vigor and waning pep are directly caused by faulty elimination. No wonder you feel half-sick—there is a reason. The poisons of the colon are being absorbed into the blood stream. This is the chief cause of such chronic ailments as rheumatism, neuritis, colitis, etc. That is why Crazy Water, made available to you in your own home through its concentrated form, CRAZY WATER CRYSTALS has been of such great service to mankind for over fifty years. Keep fit for tomorrow with Crazy Mineral Water—the gentle, pleasant, natural way. Write to the Crazy [illegible]

SUDDEN DEATH BOOK WILSON SATURDAY NIGHT

SCION TWO PIONEER FAMILIES COMING HERE IN DAYS TEXAS REPUBLIC

J. J. (Book) Wilson, aged 75 years, 4 months and 12 days, died suddenly at 8:45 o'clock Saturday evening, January 7, at his home, 808 West Hunt street, this city. The deceased had been in frail health for several years, but kept able to be up in and around the home. In fact, he was up sometime Saturday and ate a fairly hearty supper about 6:00 o'clock that evening but took a sinking spell from which he failed to rally and passed away as herein stated in less than three hours afterwards. Funeral services were held at the residence at 2:00 o'clock last Monday afternoon, January 9, conducted by his pastor, Dr. E. O. Whitwell of the Central Presbyterian church and by his former pastor, Dr. Chas. W. Estes, now of Denton. Interment followed in the Noyes cemetery, about four miles northeast of McKinney, under the direction of the Sam J. Massie & Son Funeral home. Land for the Noyes cemetery, his burial place, was donated as a graveyard by the father of the deceased many years ago.

Active pall bearers were as follows: J. Willis Neal, Princeton; Willie Wallis of Wallis Chapel; Paul K. Wilson of this city; Bennie Poe, Walter Massie, Add G. Wilson, Ed Largent, all of McKinney, and John K. Wilson of Princeton.

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Native of Collin

John Johnathan (Book) Wilson was born August 25, 1857, on the old farmstead of his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wilson, pioneer settlers, located about six miles northeast of McKinney, and which farm is now the property of Mrs. John E. Burrage of El Paso, youngest sister of the deceased. His father, George A. Wilson, who died March 6, 1895, was a former sheriff of this county and its largest landholder at the time of his death, thirty-eight years ago. His father, a Tennesseean, came to Collin county in 1842 when it was then a part of Fannin county territory and in the days of the Texas Republic. His grandparents, Addison Wilson and wife, are buried on their old homeplace at Ash Grove, eight miles north of McKinney which farm is now owned and is the homeplace of their youngest son, A. M. (Uncle Gus) Wilson, one of the oldest pioneer settlers still living in our county. Mrs. G. A. Wilson, mother of the deceased, was formerly Miss Harriet Kincaid, who died January 8, 1899. The maternal grandparents of the deceased were J. M. Kincaid and wife. His Grandfather Kincaid was born in Bath county, Kentucky, August 31, 1814, but went to Illinois with his family when he was only four years old and who in 1841 came to Texas and located in Collin county in the days of the Republic. As stated, this was a part of Fannin county, out of which Collin county was carved and organized five years later in 1846. His Grandfather Kincaid was elected Justice of the Peace in Collin county in 1848. The maiden name of his maternal grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Kincaid, was Miss Temperance Rattan, one of whose sisters became the wife of Gov. James W. Throckmorton. The deceased attended school at Rockrest, a district school near where he was born and reared but long since discontinued. He also attended school for awhile at Van Alstyne.

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His Marriage.

He was united in marriage, February 1, 1883, to Miss Emily Hatler, daughter of the late Calvin Hatler and wife, another pioneer Collin couple living about four miles east of Melissa. Their marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents with the late Eld. J. B. Faulkner (father of Mrs. Tom W. Perkins) officiating. They began housekeeping on his father's farm in the Rockrest community. Later, he bought a farm near Stiff Chapel where they moved and where their family of children were born. This old farm in the Stiff Chapel community is now owned by Mrs. E. O. Slaughter of Anna, one of the daughters of the deceased. Mr. Wilson and wife later moved to Princeton where they resided until 1915 when they bought a home and moved to McKinney. His wife died at the home here in McKinney, September 8, 1929.

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His Survivors.

Mr. Wilson is survived by four children as follows: Roscoe O. Wilson, Princeton business man; Mrs. E. O. Slaughter of Anna; Mrs. J. D. Griffin of McKinney and Miss Bopeep Wilson who lived in the home and who tenderly cared for her dear old father until his death. One son, Calvin Wilson, died, November 26, 1922, at the age of seventeen. Another son, George Burnett Wilson, nearly two years old, died, September 29, 1902. The deceased is also survived by eight grandchildren and by the following brothers and sisters: T. Ben Wilson of Princeton, George M. Wilson of McKinney, Postmaster Wallace C. Wilson of McKinney; Mrs. W. A. Strougton, 2907 Wilkinson street, Fort Worth; Mrs. Tollie Smith, wife of Editor J. Frank Smith of the McKinney Examiner; [illegible] ago; Mrs. J. A. Mallow, Mrs. T. M. Wilson; Anna, aged fifteen, when she died and Temperance, a little child of two when she passed away.

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A Presbyterian.

The deceased had long been a Presbyterian in faith, being an elder and a trustee of the Central Presbyterian church of this city at the time of his death. He spent all of his active life as a farmer, succeeding above the average in a business way and accumulating several blackland farms and owning city property at Princeton and McKinney. Always of a modest, retiring disposition by nature, he was a man of few words, but regarded his word, when given, as sacred as his bond. He was friendly, amiable to everyone and made an ideal neighbor and a loyal friend. His life of a little more than three quarters' of a century duration, which was entirely spent with in a radius of five or six miles of his birthplace, was one of uprightness, integrity and exemplary in every relation and contact with the world in a business, social or moral way. He was clean in principle, in speech and in living, and he and his wife reared a fine family of children who are folowing in his parental footsteps as to usefulness to their respective communities and in useful living in every aspect of life. He was truly a scion of one of the very earliest families, or rather, of two of the first families coming to this county, arriving here before the county was even organized eighty-seven years ago and dating back into the period of the Lone Star Republic days. Besides his immediate family, he is mourned by numerous relatives living in this city, county and state and by a host of friends and acquaintances, who revere his memory as one of the most upright, worthy examples of citizenship that our county has ever known.

COUNTY MEET OF RED CROSS FRIDAY, JAN. 13

Prof. W. S. Smith, chairman of the Collin County Red Cross chapter for 1933, has called a meeting of the Executive Board of that organization to convene in the local Chamber of Commerce at McKinney at 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon, January 13, for a very important session. Prof. Smith hopes that every member will arrange to be present.

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Executive Board.

Mrs. F. G. Burnitt.
Mrs. Dan W. Scott.
Mrs. A. M. Wolford.
W. S. Smith.
J. E. Gibson.
F. C. Thompson.
Mrs. Charles Waide.
Miss Helen Dunlap.
Tom M. Scott.
Walter B. Wilson.
Mrs. J. L. Lovejoy.
C. M. Cooper.
W. Hammond Moore.
Dr. P. D. Robason.
Rev. R. L. Cowan.
Dr. Bryce Miller.
C. E. Graves.
Henry W. Warden.
Carl E. Melton.

J. R. Lindsey, living on Route 6, six miles northwest of McKinney on the farm of Mrs. R. G. Horn, tells us that he has several hunured small Plum trees that he will give to anyone who will come and dig them up and replant them, either on their premises in McKinney or on their farm. Mr. Lindsey will even furnish a "grubbing hoe," but you have to do the work yourself. Here is an opportunity to set out your premises with nice plum trees, either city or country, by doing a little work.

Prof. A. M. Blackman, for many years connected with the state department of education, has been appointed superintendent of public schools at McCamey, Upton county, Texas. Prof. Blackman was superintendent of schools at Plano for three or four years and also for about the same length of time held the same position at Farmersville. For a number of years he has been with the state department of education and until recently was assistant to the state superintendent of public instruction. He has many Collin county friends who wish him well and bespeak for McCamey schools a prosperous era under his guidance.

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Frisco Bank Voluntarily Goes Out of Business

Announcement has been made that the First State Bank of Frisco has closed its doors and voluntarily liquidated. All depositors have been paid in full. Following is the list of officers, who have served the bank since its organization on March 4, 1929:

President, M. C. Parrish, Austin; Vice-President, C. B. Sullivan, Austin; D. K. Woodward, Jr., Austin; Joe P. Self, vice-president and cashier, Frisco; and C. W. Montgomery, Frisco; Charles Montgomery, assistant cashier, and Miss Lois Martin, Frisco, bookkeeper. This leaves the enterprising little city of Frisco without a bank. Two banks flourished there for many years, several years ago.

Mrs. (Dr.) J. E. Gibson is reported critically ill at her home. This will be sorrowful news to her numerous friends.

Dr. C. C. York, prominent Princeton practicing physician and property owner, sends in a dollar to renew his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription for another year.

J. Pat Moulden, who holds a position of high responsibility in the comptroller's office at the state capital, remits for the Daily Courier-Gazette for another three months in advance. Pat Moulden is a native of Collin county and a former county clerk before going to his present position at Austin.

J. Q. Davis, a substantial Nevada citizen, enrolls for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for a year in advance. He owns a splendid, well improved farm about three miles northeast of that Southeast Collin little city. Mr. Davis is glad to get his county seat and county wide news through the columns of our paper.

Morris Gay, Alec Burks and A. C. Bullock motored to Sherman Thursday night to attend the regular weekly meeting of the Sherman American Legion post. Mr. Gay was one of the speakers at this meeting and brought a splendid address on the membership campaign now being actively engaged in by all legion posts of North Texas.

We are pleased to see Rev. R. D. Shults downtown. For the past year he has been practically confined to his home on account of high blood pressure. However, he is much better now, which will be mighty good news to his many friends in this city and county. On account of his illness, he has not been able to serve his churches during 1932. He is an able, eloquent and well-liked minister of the Christian church. We are pleased to learn that this good man of God is fast on the road to recovering his usual good health.

Miss Minnie Bochardt, aged 69 years, 5 months, and 22 days, for many years a resident of Plano, died suddenly at her home there. Funeral services were held at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. Barknict, near Lewisville. Interment was also made there. The deceased was a native of Germany, coming with her parents straight to Plano where they settled.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(Jan. 7, 1908.)

New officers were instaled by Magnolia Camp No. 431, Woodmen of the World, last night by J. D. Alexander of Garland, sovereign delegate and special deputy of Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona. The officers installed were I. E. Reeves, consul commander; R. L. Worsham, advisory lieutenant; L. J. Truett clerk; L. W. Crouch, banker; Frank Hendricks, watchman; S. H. Stallcup, sentry; S. E. Walker, manager; J. D. May, escort.

Arthur L. Anderson was elected secretary of the McKinney Hunting and Fishing club at a meeting held today in the Collin County National bank. He succeeds W. H. Sims, retiring.

County Tax Collector W. T. Moore did a land office business yesterday (First Monday) in the way of tax collections.

Prof. W. F. Anderson, popular teacher of Viney Grove No. 2, dropped in to subscribe for our paper.

J. D. Walker, a sturdy young Altoga farmer, renews his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription and also pays for another copy to be sent to his brother, J. L. Walker, Osage, Ark.

P. Less White of the gent's furnishing firm of White & Newsome, is visiting a sister who lives at Pickwick in West Texas for a few days.

Miss Apple Farmer, who resides with her sister, Mrs. Jesse M. Foster, and attends school here, has returned from Grand Saline where she spent the holidays with her parents.

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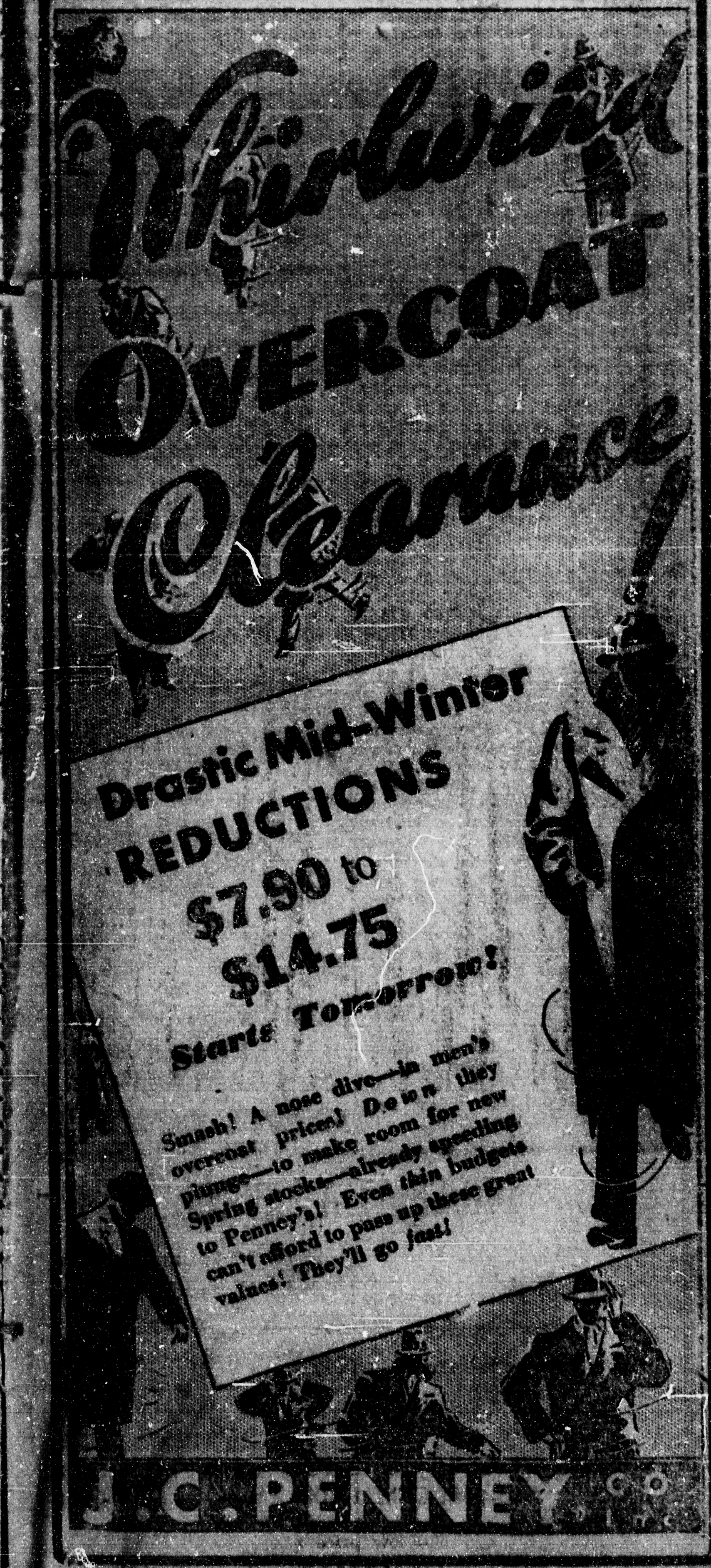

J. E. GIBSON ATTENDED ANNUAL BOARD MEETING

In their fifty-sixth annual session, the board of directors of the Buckner Orphans' home, Dallas, elected officers. Dr. George W. Truett delivered the annual address. Dinner was served in Manna hall. The 600 children and 100 visitors were served a turkey dinner.

Members of the board present were Paul Danna, Clyde West, J. N. Kilman, John H. Cullom, T. V. Murray, J. L. Chapman, W. K. Ward, Waxahachie; J. E. Gibson, McKinney; C. C. Roberts, Corsicana; J. D. Portwood, Fort Worth; J. N. Raysor, Denton; T. A. Sanders, Dallas; Dr. W. H. Wynn, Dallas; Hal F. and Joe D. Buckner, Buckner home; Emmett Saunders, Dallas.

Officers selected are president, John H. Cullom; vice president, W. K. Ward, Waxahachie; secretary, Clyde West, Dallas. Dr. Hal F. and Joe D. Buckner were unanimously chosen as co-managers of the institution for the following year, and were given a rising vote of appreciation for their efficient services.

J. L. Chapman, another board member, was formerly a banker at Farmersville and then at McKinney, and later state banking commissioner.

ALLEN

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith of McKinney, spent a few days with relatives here this week.

Wesley Royals has moved from the Runnels farm west of town to the Matthews farm, south of town.

Perry Greer and family of Bloomdale visited his brother Roy Greer and family this week.

Mrs. H. G. Butler is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hutcherson of Mount Olive were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith this week.

School was resumed Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lakin Carter of Dallas were week-end guests of relatives here.

Mrs. Clyde Jenkins and children of Bois d'Arc are visiting her brother, Jim Rankins, and family this week.

Rev. Milton Greer of McKinney has been called as pastor of the Allen Baptist church.

Mrs. John W. W. Smith is the guest of her son, L. W. Smith, and family at Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Fondren who have been quite ill are able to be up again.

Mrs. Johnnie Hagy and daughter, Mary Etta, visited Dallas relatives the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goeman and Mrs. Ivy Petty of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Goeman Sunday afternoon.

We regret to learn of the death of Stanley Scott at the home of his son Jesse Scott, near McKinney, Jan. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Weaver visited Dallas relatives Monday.

The week-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tillison was laid to rest in Spring Creek cemetery Monday.

STOCK BEETS VALUABLE SAYS DAIRYMAN

Sam Apple, who owns and operates the Apple's dairy three miles south of McKinney, planted one acre in stock beets last March and produced thirty-five tons of beets. Mr. Apple said he planted the Mammoth Red Giant variety about March 1, and by May 20 he started feeding his herd of fifteen Jersey cows these beets. He has fed them continuously up to this date, and has enough on hand to feed for another two months.

Mr. Apple said that the beets took the place of two and one-half pounds of concentrated feed per cow per day. He also said that his cows produced from one pint to a quart more milk per cow per day when fed the beets. Mr. Apple states that the beets were planted on a solid Johnson grass patch, but even at that he was out only $10 on the whole acre of beets and he killed the Johnson grass, besides.

This McKinney dairyman declares that stock beets are easy to raise, and more feed can be produced per acre at less expense than any other crop he has ever tried to raise. He cuts the beets into pieces about the size of a hen egg and feeds them along with other feeds.

Durward Timmons, fourteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Timmons of the Winningkoff community, is traveling in an auto with his brother, Wade Timmons, 23, as representative of a big national publishing concern. They claim all Texas as their field. The Timmons brothers seem to be natural born young salesmen. Recently, the younger Timmons called at twenty homes, selling nineteen of them for which he received special recognition from his employers. Mr. and Mrs. Timmons have seven sons, all of them worthy boys and young men. Several of them attended school in McKinney when they lived nearer town.

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Shelby Adams, merchant prince of Foncine, ten miles west of McKinney, dropped by our office to renew his Daily Courier-Gazette subscription for a year in advance. Mr. Adams has been merchandising at Foncine for a number of years. His store serves a very fine section of our county. He is enterprising and no man enjoys accommodating his neighbors and patrons more than does our lifelong friend, Shelby Adams.

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T. E. Hardaway requested the address of the Daily Courier-Gazette changed from Thornton, Texas, to Van Alstyne, Texas. Mr. Hardaway and wife were both reared at or near Melissa. He is a railroad man and a bright, business-like young fellow. We are glad to see him move back nearer home. He has been located at Thornton for four or five years.

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CLIFFT
By J. W. Bryan

Miss Christene Lillard went to Wichita Falls Monday for an indefinite stay.

Dutch Lillard went to Caddo lake Tuesday with persons from Rockwall for an outing.

Gene Lillard visited Fred Lillard and family at Nevada a few days this week.

Marvin Moore, Miss Ethel Hancock, Miss Irene Hancock, and Miss Nola Moore visited in Dallas Wednesday.

Don Killian and family of near Farmersville visited S. A. Gracy and family here Wednesday.

J. A. Paytor and family were McKinney visitors Tuesday.

Perry Payton and family of Liberty Grove visited J. A. Payton and family here Wednesday.

Fred Lillard and family of Nevada visited H. M. Lillard and family here Wednesday and Wednesay night.

F. E. Durkee and wife of Dallas are visiting J. R. Bryan and wife here.

Cecil Spearman of near Nevada visited relatives and friends here Saturday and Sunday.

H. E. Dunn of Dallas was in this vicinity Saturday evening.

Gene Lillard visited Winfred Mitchell at Wylie Saturday night.

Marvin Moore, wife, Cecil Spearman, and Miss Irene Hancock went to the show at Farmersville Saturday night.

WESTON
Miss Leota Stiles

Miss Juiquetta Biggs of McKinney spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. George Templin.

Mrs. Charley Reddin was brought from Dallas Thursday to the McKinney city hospital where she will undergo an operation. She was formerly Miss Juanita Craft of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stiles and baby son spent Wednesday night and Thursday in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Dunn moved to town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith moved to the place vacated by R. T. Talferson.

Misses Josie Brimer, Wanda Carie, Lena and Leota Stiles spent Tuesday with Mrs. Ora Evans.

Mr. Evans of Altoga were Tuesday guests of his son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Eval McManas of Denison is visiting the latter's father, Oscar Guater.

School resumed work here Jan. 2 after a week's holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Comer Apolis have moved to their farm east of Weston.

Charlie Templin and Miss Alvis Brown were married in McKinney Saturday night, Dec. 24. The groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Templin. The bride is the youngest daughter of Alvin Brown. The couple will make their home here.

Elvis Tolleson returned Thursday to his home at Desert after spending several days with Charley Estep and Lloyd Hansard.

Misses Adell and Laurado Pittman spent part of last week with their sister, Mrs. Otis Betty.

Mrs. Tom Brimer and Mrs. B. A. Comer were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mrs. B. F. Choate.

Garth Burch of Kelley spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Laud Howell.

Mrs. Edgar Cravens and children spent Monday night and Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Frair.

Joe Frair had the misfortune of severely cutting his finger while pruning trees Wednesday afternoon. A physician was summoned.

John Brown and Douglass Cassaday have started rebuilding their gin. Levie Carruth is the contractor.

Miss Leota Brown of Cleburne is visiting her sister, Mrs. Weldon Hurst.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Gilbert and daughter, Ruby Lynn, and Mrs. H. D. Gilbert were shopping in McKinney Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. O. Butcher and daughter and Rev. J. B. Culwell and daughter, are visiting their mother and sisters, Mrs. Amy Culwell, Mrs. Rena Button, and Mrs. Kate Chandler.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Stephen has double pneumonia and is not doing well.

Hon. and Mrs. W. Fred Duncan of Wylie were McKinney visitors. Mr. Duncan is an outstanding attorney of that city, where he has lived practically all of his life, being a graduate of the University of Texas, both in the law and literary courses. He is an able barrister and enjoys a good practice. Mrs. Duncan, his Secretary of War, (and Fred says there has been an Armistice since the day he joined her) is the local editor and solicitor for the Wylie Herald. These editors have known these good people for many years, and enjoyed a friendly, cordial visit from them while here.

Many farm tenants are still hunting land to rent for 1933, so Frank C. Dowell of the McKinney Realty company tells us. While all farm products are very low, yet the only salvation for the poor man is to get on the farm, where he can make and raise his own living, such as feed, cows, etc. Back-to-the-farm movement will be one of the first to bring real prosperity back to the forgotten man.

John H. Ferguson, for many years one of the [illegible]

BLYTHE'S CHAPEL
By Corinne Hinsley

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Dennis and little daughter spent Wednesday night and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Timmons. Her little brother and sister, Isaac, and Dorris Marie, returned home with her to spend a few days.

Miss Velda Spurgin spent Monday night with Miss Cora Campbell.

Dallas Morrow is on the sick list. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Ruth Timmons spent the week-end with friends in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gantt had as their dinner guests Tuesday Miss Corrine Hinsley, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morrow, and little sons, Clarence, Clyde, W. K. Jr., and Ray Gantt; Orville, Edward, and Jack Spurgin.

Mrs. Leland Horn is visiting friends in Sherman a few days this week.

Jack Knight spent Sunday with Jack Kerby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hinsley and daughter, Miss Corrine and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gantt and little son, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Gantt and family.

Wayde and Duward Timmons have returned home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Welden Gantt spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lockmiller, of McKinney.

Mrs. Willard Smith and children spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and little daughter.

Misses Gladys and Cora Campbell spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Snider and daughter, Miss Leuna, of Dump.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morrow and little son, Walter Glyn, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harvel'.

Friends of this community were very sorry indeed, to learn of the death of Fred Gallahar. Mr. Gallahar formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hinsley and daughter, Miss Corrine; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morrow and little son Walter Glyn; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gantt and little son, Melvin Jr., and Miss Cora Campbell.

Mrs. Milton Scott and daughter, Mrs. Alexader, and children, spent Monday with Mrs. Lizzie Spurgin and children.

Miss Corrine Hinsley spent Monday night with Mrs. Melvin Gantt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gray and family of Garland, and Truett Snider, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hogge of Parker spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gooch and family spent Monday and Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Clearlake.

Friends of this community are sad to hear of the death of Mrs. Buck of Josephine, the mother of Mrs. F. M. Smith of Clearlake.

Mr. and Mrs. Conna Lee Holmes and little daughter, Patsy Nell, and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hinsley were bedtime visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil White and family Monday night.

Duward Timmons spent Sunday afternoon with Wilburn Gantt.

Mrs. E. C. Morrow and daughter, Miss Lorzene, spent Saturday with Mrs. Frank Kerby and daughter, Miss Roena of Forrest Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gooch and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gooch and family of Lucas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sanders and little girl Jo Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. Aron Norman and little girl Jackie, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ward Talbot and daughter, Frankie.

Mr. and Mrs. McCamey and daughter, Miss Louise, of this community, moved to Allen Monday.

Sunday is our regular preaching day. We hope we have pretty weather. Everybody come and hear Rev. McGown.

Mrs. Knight visited Dallas Morrow, who is ill, Sunday afternoon at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarkston and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with her father, Harve Betterton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlee Collier and little daughter spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Collier.

Conna Lee Holmes and Virgil White were in Wylie Wednesday.

Chas. Shultz of Tulsa, Oklahoma, formerly of McKinney, was here Tuesday on business.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago
From The Files of The Daily Courier-Gazette

(Jan. 6, 1908.)

The eleventh anniversary service for Dr. E. E. King as pastor of the First Baptist church was held Sunday (yesterday) and was largely attended. During the past year, the church received fifty-eight new members, contributed $3,000 to the current work of the church and $20,000 on the new church edifice. This new building will cost $35,000. The committee has $5,000 in subscriptions and $10,000 yet to be secured. The building will be completed in a few weeks. During Dr. King's pastorate, the church has received a total of 901 members and contributed for all purposes $71,268.65. Dr. King has organized five new churches, officiated at 196 marriage and at 199 funerals, besides holding many revival meetings, attending 3,149 services, made 7,604 pastoral visits, delivered 2,242 sermons and addresses and has traveled over 30,500 miles. Dr. King is in fine health and in universal favor with the people, regardless of church lines. He is doing a wonderful work for his Master's Kingdom and also is exerting an active and wholesome influence in secular activities

L. T. Gay of Nevada, candidate for county tax assessor, gave us a business call today—fine man and will make a fine race.

T. M. McDaniel left today on one of his regular trade trips through Oklahoma.

J. W. Crowder who lives northwest of the city drops in and renews his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription.

Allen Campbell, formerly in the jewelry business in McKinney, visited here yesterday from Corsicana where he now lives.

Dr. T. O. Staples, prominent Wylie physician and citizen, gave us a business call today.

NEW HOPE
By Mary Ruth Dungan

Mr. and Mrs. John Bates and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Bates' mother, Mrs. Manda Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bates spent the week-end as the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Kenser of the McDonald community.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orr and Miss Katherine Thomas of McKinney spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dungan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnel Reeves of Viney Grove spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Elden Reeves of this community.

Messrs. Quincy and Sam Hurst and Muriel Keys visited in McKinney Sunday.

Homer Hurst and Tom Blassengame were McKinney visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dungan and Charles Tarvin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dungan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Dungan of Wayside, Texas, have been visiting relatives here during the holidays, but have returned to their home to take up their respective positions at teachers of the Wayside school.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Tarvin spent one day last week as the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Massie of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Jay and Horace and Opal Ann Jay visited in Murphy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Franklin spent the past week in Marshall, Texas.

Howell E. Bomar visited in McKinney Sunday afternoon.

Melvin Wallace and Miss Eva Mae Summers were married in Durant, Okla., last week. We wish them much happiness.

Uncle Pete Bomar has moved out to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dewitt Lambert.

J. W. Atterbury Jr. has returned from a week's vacation in Morrilton, Ark., and has resumed his position as teacher of the New Hope school.

Miss Mary Ruth Dungan spent last week in McKinney visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Orr.

Messrs. Jesse, Fred, and John D. Bates and Buster Reeder and Mms. Jesse Bates and Buster Reeder and Miss Nadine Johnson and Miss Allie Reeder gave a wiener roast Saturday night.

Mrs. Keller of this community has been quite ill for the past week, but is much better at present.

Miss Mary Ruth Dungan spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Bomar.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dungan visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dungan Sunday evening.

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50c White Petroleum Jelly 1 lb. 32c
$1.00 Nervine 73c
50c Witch Hazel 19c
85c Jad Salts 69c
$1.00 Cardui 73c
$1.25 Tanlac 89c
$1.00 Citrocarbonate 79c
40c Castoria 28c
$1.50 Agarol $1.09
85c Kruschen Salts 69c
60c Sal Hepatica 45c
30c Mentholatum 23c
75c Vapex 59c
75c Penslar Inhalent 39c
$1.25 Absorbine Jr. 98c
85c Dextri Maltose 59c
50c Horlicks Malt Milk 38c
$1.25 Creomulsion 98c
$1.00 Nujol 69c
65c Pond's Creams 46c
50c Lorena Hair Oil 39c
75c Penslar Hair Oil 49c
$1.00 Vanards face cr. 24c
$1.00 Lucky Tiger 79c
2.00 Quinine hair tonic 1.29
75c Glovers Mange 65c
10c Palmolive soap 5c
10c Camay Soap 7c
10c Life Bouy Soap 7c
25c Woodbury Soap 19c
75c 2 lb. Castile Soap 43c
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50c Ipana Tooth PASTE and 50c Bristle Tite Tooth Brush $1.00 Value 59c

35c VICKS SALVE 25c

$1.50 Gordon's Stomach ANTISEPTIC 98c

$1.00 Fountain SYRINGE 29c

15c SCOTT TISSUE 3 FOR 25c

35c Eveready Blades 29c
25c Penslar Aspirin 10c
25c Mercurochrome 14c
25c Peroxide 10c
$1.00 Aspirin Tabs 49c
50c Ipana Tooth Paste 36c
50c Penslar Tooth Paste 39c
25c Colgate Tooth Paste 22c
60c Forhans Tooth Pst. 41c
$1.00 Penslar Antiseptine 59c
$1.00 Listerine 83c
$1.00 Pepsodent Antiseptic 89c
50c Old Gold Shav. Cr. 31c
65c Barbasol 44c
50c C. C. Shaving Cr. 39c
50c Hinds Cream 34c
35c Mum 26c
50c Jergens Lotion 43c
60c Bromo Seltzer 36c
50c 666 Tonic 45c
50c Luxor Face Powder 43c
50c Dorthe Dusting po. 24c
$1.00 Princess Pat Face Powder 89c
$2.00 Xyris Triple Compact 79c
75c Xyris Talcum 39c
25c Mavis Talcum 19c
25c J. & J. Baby Talc. 18c
25c C. C. Talcum 19c
$1.50 Alarm clock 98c
2.50 6 lb. Electric Iron 1.98
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$1.00 Segal RAZOR and 50c pkg. Segal Razor Blades $1.50 Value 49c

50c Phillips MILK MAGNESIA 34c

25c KLEENEX 15c

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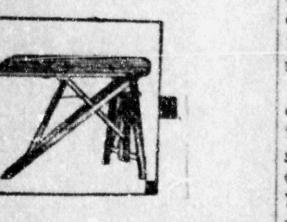

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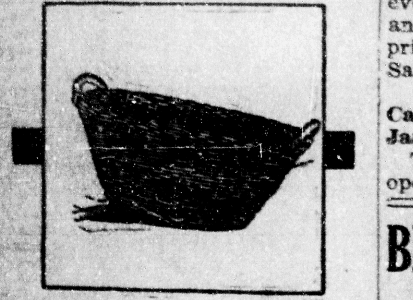

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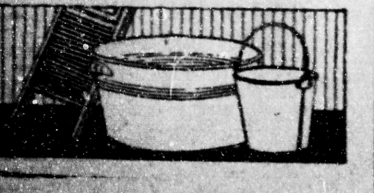

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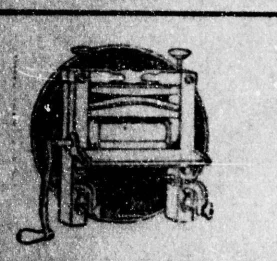

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A splendid motor car and six other liberal awards will be distributed among the seven most successful in the great campaign. Generous cash commissions will be paid according to the rules and regulations of the campaign.

The campaign is to be conducted under such terms that it really will become a difficult feat to compete and not win a more than satisfactory reward. The awards are to be distributed all in one district in which the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette circulates, that everyone, everywhere, may have an equal chance to win a big prize when the campaign closes Saturday, March 11th.

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Campaign Officially Opens January 16th

The campaign will officially open January 16th.

Not a cent is required to enter, to compete or to win in this campaign. Votes and votes alone will decide the winners, and votes can be piled up in just two ways—by clipping the coupons, which will appear in each issue of the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette and by securing paid-in-advance subscriptions, either new or renewals.

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A nomination blank contained in the advertisement, which filled out and turned in, not only enters a candidate in the great campaign but starts him or her off with 2,000 votes; then there is the free vote coupon good for 20 votes. Only one entry blank will be counted, but there are no limitations on the number of free vote coupons which may be credited to the candidate.

A table of the vote value of subscriptions is contained in the big advertisement, showing not only the prices, but the votes allowed for securing the various types—six months, one year, two years, and so on.

Prizes are given to the persons who get the most votes—that is, who get the most new and renewal subscriptions to the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette on the basis of the schedule as set out in the double page advertisement of today.

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Now, turn to the double page advertisement, in this issue, and enter your name to win. This is a short campaign. Get out the old shears and start clipping.

For further information, subscription blanks, etc., call, write, or telephone the Campaign Manager of the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette. The telephone number is 64 or 65. Open evenings until 7:30.

BIG CROWD AT PROHIBITION RALLY SUNDAY

DRS. TRUETT AND BASSETT SPEAKERS AT MEETING

BY DON W BAGWILL.

Effectng a county-wide organization to work in conjunction with the United Prohibition Forces of Texas, and addresses by Dr. George W. Truett and Dr. Wallace Bassett of Dallas, prominent speakers in the Prohibition fight now being engaged in over the country, featured a county-wide mass meeting held Sunday afternoon at the First Christian church in this city. The auditorium was filled to capacity, necessitating the opening up of adjacent Sunday school rooms and the bringing in of chairs to accommodate the large audience. Nearly every section of Collin county was represented at this gathering.

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Dr. Simpson, County Chairman.

The lead in the Prohibition fight in this county was taken here a few days ago at a meeting at which three important committees—on organization, publicity and resolutions — were named. Postmaster Wallace C. Wilson, chairman of the Committee on Permanent Organization with County Attorney W. C. Dowdy and C. M. Bryan, brought the following names for approval, who will serve as head of the county-wide Prohibition Forces, the choices of the committee being unanimously endorsed by the large county-wide audience follows:

Dr. C. M. Simpson, chairman.
Howard S. Ware, Vice Chairman.
E. L. Kissinger, treasurer.
Carl E. Melton, secretary.

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Executive Committee.

The commitee on publicity is composed of the following: F. C. Thompson, Walter B. Wilson, both of McKinney; M. B. Smith of Farmersville; A. A. Ragwill of Plano; C. C. Andrews of Celina and Sam Braswell of Wylie.

Postmaster Wilson also brought forward the following as members of the County Executive committee of which Rev. A. L. Leake of Plano is chairman and composed of the following Collin county residents:

Rev. A. L. Leake, Plano, chairman.
C. C. Allen, Plano.
Dr. G. P. Maynard, Wylie.
Erit Dickerson, Melissa.
Mrs. Jennie Baccus, Frisco.
Ott Roberson, Prosper.
Dr. W. F. Hayes, Farmersville.
J. B. Honaker, Farmersville.
Will Waters, Allen.
M. L. Vermillion, Westminster.
Ed West, Princeton.
M. C. Powell, Anna.
Dr. R. N. Walker, Celina.
Dr. Walter Stallcup, Celina.
Hamp Wysong, Melissa.
Mrs. J. O. Nelson, Blue Ridge.

Resolutions Read.

Hon. H. H. Neilson, city attorney and a well known local barrister as chairman of the resolutions commitee, read a copy of the resolutions which were likewise unanimously adopted.

Dr. Claude M. Simpson, pastor of the First Methodist church, and county chairman of the county-wide Prohibition Forces, presided at Sunday's meeting. Every McKinney pastor, as well as those from surrounding communities and from over the county, were in attendance, many of them sitting upon the platform with the speakers.

Miss Tennie Strickland, organist for the church, accompanied the large congregation in singing "America," "Onward Christian Soldiers" and other familiar church hymns, led by W. Hammond Moore.

Timely Addresses.

The addresses of Dr. George W. Truett and Dr. Wallace Bassett both were timely and forceful. These emiment Dallas Baptist ministers have long been associated with the cause of prohibition the former having been instrumental in driving out the open saloon from Dallas. Dr. Truett has been pastor of the Frst Baptist church in Dallas for more than thirty years and is recognized as one of the nation's leading orators and foremost ministers. Dr. Bassett has been pastor of the Oak Cliff Baptist church for many years and he, too, is an unusually gifted and able public speaker.

In his introductory statement, Dr. Simpson declared, "We're here today in the interest of the moral life of our city, community, state and nation. It has been many years since we laid down the habiliments of warfare — some twelve or fourteen years ago, when we reached the zenith of our battle and sweeping victory. But the day has come calling for a renewed battle."

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Dr. Truett Speaks

Dr. Simpson then called attention to the united group that was being organized over the state, with the determination to put down once and for all the evils of intemperance by upholding the eighteenth amendment.

Introduced by Dr. Simpson as a man known, loved, and honored by everyone who knew him, Dr. Truett, who followed Dr. Bassett, told of the pleasant visits he had made to Collin county for the past thirty-five years. Especially was he glad, he said, to come here on this significant occasion, because of the interest in the great moral question, fundamentalyy moral to the foundation of life itself, requiring both clarity and conviction on the part of those speaking in its behalf.

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Great Social Adventure

Launching into a history of the question of prohibition, Dr. Truett said for over 100 years it was aggressively urged, until twelve years ago, the Eighteenth Amendment was written into the Constitution of the United States. It was the greatest social adventure in the history of Western Democracy.

"Now the question must be gone all over again. We must reexamine the question of temperance, since the two major parties have returned it to the people for final settlement. It is a crucial time for all of us—a responsibility for the American people."

He declared the Eighteenth Amendment had had hard sledding, due to the great amount of propaganda released in an effort to break down the law—propaganda that was and is a sinister, insiduous, and damaging.

He attributed the laxity of morals today, not to prohibition, as its enemies would have us believe, but to the inevitable reaction following the great world conflict, a slump in idealism, which has always followed any war of importance.

"The moral and the religious life of our nation is challenged by the question. Certainly the pulpit cannot refrain from entering into the thick of the fight. If it were a political issue at stake, he would not be here. And," he added, "if the wet proponents think they can silence the pulpit of the nation, then they have another 'think' coming."

Praises the Press

Recalling these agencies which can be of immense value in the fight for prohibition, he mentioned, first of all, the press. "How greatly we are indebted to the press. I'm glad to observe that the papers of your own city and county are rising up in defense of this moral issue. God be thanked for our press."

Lawyers, teachers, physicians, the great army of good women and our youth—all these are needed in the fight now being waged. He read the testimony of Dr. Henry Cabot, noted Harvard physician, showing the evils of moderate drinking and saying that it lowers resistance in infectious diseases. It is nothing more than a narcotic. Drinking has killed more people than typhoid, fever, pneumonia, and the flu combined.

The speaker reminded his audience of the appearance of Mrs. Henry W. Peabody before the Congress of the United States, informing them the W. C. T. U. have the names of ten million Protestant Women on petitions now before the American public.

The great army of young people must likewise carry on and not sleep at the switch as the tares are sowed. They must keep awake.

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Method of Attack

Answering the question, "How are we to go about the task ahead and the method to be used?" he stressed the fact that all moral and religious forces must go afield teaching the people of the issues at stake, and bringing about a great Renaissance of the younger generation.

He warned that the old-fashioned saloon would soon return with the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment, to say nothing of the return of the gambling hall and other vices common to the saloon—evils which the young people don't know about.

"I saw more people drunk on the streets of Dallas in one afternoon and night during the days of the open saloon, than I have seen in all America since adoption of the Eighteenth Amendment," he said as he urged the spreading of such truths in these days of the fight against the return of the saloon.

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Cites Warning

The liquor traffic is essentially lawless; its whole history is essentially lawless; so much so that our nation rose up in rebellion and wrote the amendment banishing liquor, the enemy of man, country, and soul.

"We must find again the conscience of the American people," he warned, declaring that we must not permit the licensing of evil by our government. "We don't want the government to go into partnership with liquor traffic. If it does, there is no escape for us from any of the evils resulting from the traffic; we're all liable. You can't justify legalization of a well-known immorality. To legalize immorality for tax money is blood money—an ethical crime God on his throne won't stand for. We must answer to God for our actions.

"We must rededicate ourselves to the cause of temperance now that the wets have thrown down the gauntlet with a defiance. We'll pick it up.

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Our Heritage

"A great heritage has come down to us; the United States must sway the moral leadership throughout the world. Europe knows what is happening in our country," he said, as he told his hearers about a recent cartoon from a Berlin newspaper, depicting the Statue of Liberty with a glass of wine in one hand; a glass of beer in the other.

Answering his own question of "What happens if the United States' leadership is sold for a mess of pottage," he said this is the day of courageous talk and action. The gathering he was addressing, he urged, was big enough to change the sentiment in this and many other counties, for a few banded together for the right things can do wonders. It is a time when believers in the right must work and win a better day again, proving true heroes for their nation and land.

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Dr. Wallace Bassett

Dr. Wallace Bassett, for many years pastor of the Oak Cliff Baptist temple, in his address, declared that the adoption of prohibition, by the legislature or by constitutional provision, was one of the greatest moral victories of all times. It was upheld by the Supreme Court. Now, after fourteen years, after we thought it solved for all time, we are again face to face with the issue. We accept the challenge and take up the gauge of battle.

There are two reasons for this. One of these is that there has been an indifferent prohibition sentiment. We have forgotten that a new race and generation has appeared, not familiar with the evil effects of the saloon. We have only ourselves to blame. Now we must all repent and bring forth fruit, meat for repentance.

The second reason is in the fact that the liquor forces have proved themselves very poor sports. After they were defeated, instead of taking their defeat as true Americans and abiding by the will of the majority, they tried every possible way to make enforcement as difficult as they could; then boasting that prohibition was not being enforced. "Why," he said, "they even started an organization for its purpose refusal to obey the law, an organization that started with 11,000 members the first year and raising a half million dollars their first year of existence.

"The great question," he urged. "is what are we to do about it. They're active; we've been silent as they have put out their propaganda over the entire country seeking to tear down the law.

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Refutes Wet Charge

He refuted the charge of the wets that there is as much liquor sold now as in the days of the open saloon, drawing comparison to prove his assertion. How can a man, in any line of business, sneak around and sell as much of any article as he can openly and by advertising his business?

He called attention to the statement of the late Thos. A. Edison, who declared prohibition had helped the industrial and economic standard; children were better clothed and educated; wage earners had more money to provide for their families, to say nothing of a higher physical and mental fitness. Henry Ford made similar statements declaring he would regret to see the return of the liquor business.

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Drinking Has Decreased

Since the advent of prohibition in our nation, Dr. Bassett declared drinking has decreased 64 per cent; infant mortality has decreased 30 per cent, the many new saving accounts speak for themselves; there are 400,000 new homes built each year and there has been an increase of 68 billion dollars worth of life insurance written. High school attendance has increased 150 per cent; college attendance, 300 per cent.

The wets, he said, are making statements they cannot prove. If it is true, as they (the wets) assert, that prohibition is causing all the crime in our country, then what caused it in the days of the open saloon?

They (the wets) blame prohibition for the depression ... [illegible] ... is felt far more keenly in some other nations—nations which have not prohibition, including England, Italy, France, South and Central American countries.

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More Wet Charges

He briefly touched on the charge of the wets that there is more drinking among high school and college students in prohibition days than during the time of the the saloon. But a survey of one million students shows there is less drinking among high school students. Texas teachers, recently meeting at Fort Worth, went on record as opposing any change in the prohibition laws as they now stand.

College presidents, numbering 300, were asked for their views of drinking among college students, 262 answering the questionnaire. Of this number only 18 said that conditions were about the same, or possibly slightly worse today; 147 declared conditions were better, while 97 reported little or no drinking among their student bodies.

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Canadian System

Dr. Bassett gave some statistics on the Canadian system, where the liquor dispensing is controlled by the government. Drinking there has increased 115 per cent; drinking among women 50 per cent. Arrests for driving while intoxicated have increased 1,300 per cent. This is a record between the years of 1922 and 1930.

Dr. Bassett closed by relating a personal incident in his life. His father, who often drank, was the cause of his mother calling him and his brother to her knee. She exacted a promise that liquor would never touch their lips and that whenever they had the occasion, to raise their voices in condemnation of the evils and curse of the drinking habit.

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FOR EXCHANGE—7-room house and 3 lots clear of debt, in Frisco, Texas, for small farm. JESS BOLIN, Route 2, Allen, Texas.

FOR SALE—Four-room cottage, large corner lot, barn and orchard only $650. Terms $50 down, balance easy. R. L. Hight.

GOOD FARM 65 acres, 3 miles McKinney, 50 cultivation, two sets improvements, only $60 acre. consider clear cottage part trade. See R. L. Hight.

FINE FARM for rent, 75 acres near McKinney, well improved. rent to party able to pay $275 cash for good team mules, harness and feed. See R. L. Hight.

LOST

STRAYED—Two while male pigs, weigh about 50 pounds. If seen please call 871.

MEDICAL

EPILEPSY—EPILEPTICS! Detroit lady finds complete relief for husband. Specialists home-abroad failed. Nothing to sell. All letters answered. Mrs. Geo. Dempster, Apt. G-40, 6900 LaFayette Blvd., West, Detroit, Mich.

H. R. (Geewhillikens) Childress and good wife of near Weston were in McKinney Tuesday trading with local merchants. "Geewhillikens" is widely known in our city and over the county on account of his geniality and friendliness towards everyone.

BUSINESS SERVICE

NOTICE TO OUR PATRONS
Beginning Saturday, January 14, our shop will close at 10:00 o'clock P. M. instead of 10:30.
BASEMENT BARBER SHOP
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I. M. COUNTS BARBER SHOP. Now located first door east of the Giles McKinney building on East Louisiana street. We have seven first-class barbers. Our prices are reasonable and our motto is: "Live and Let Live." Come in and see us. All of our barbers ask their personal friends and the general public to give us a liberal share of your barber work during 1933.

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Muriel Rogers, thirteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rogers of Frisco is critically ill from pneumonia. Muriel suffered a relapse from the flu, from which pneumonia developed.

Thomas Duncan, 76, an old resident of the Frisco community, is in a Dallas hospital where he underwent an operation Tuesday. Mr. Duncan's condition, while very serious, is not regarded as hopeless and physicians entertain hope for his recovery.

Rev. J. F. Smith and family residing at 1207 Lela street, have all been sick, but Rev. Smith and wife are up and out now. Rev. Smith is one of our popular and well-liked Baptist ministers.

RITZ

Thursday and Friday—
Joan Bennett and Spencer Tracey in
"ME AND MY GAL"

Saturday—
John Wayne in
"RIDE HIM, COWBOY"

Sunday and Monday—
Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell in
"TESS OF THE STORM COUNTRY"

Tuesday and Wednesday
Ruth Chaterton in
"FRISCO JENNY"

Thursday and Friday—
Paul Muni in
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35c Kotex	26c
30c Modess	19c
Doz. Mercedes Soap	39c
$1.00 Ovaltine	79c
$1.00 Wine Cardui	79c
55c New Cream Shampoo	39c
55c Hind H & A Cr.	39c
55c Milk Almond Cr.	39c
83c Fitch's Shampoo	69c
55c Non Spi	43c
50c Tangee Lip Stick	39c
50c Dr. West Tooth Brush	39c
50c Ipana Tooth Paste	41c
50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste	41c
55c Jergens Lotion	39c
15c Pure Castile Soap	10c
10c Palm Olive Soap 3 for	23c

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VOLUNTEER FIREMEN OF CITY ELECT OFFICERS TO SERVE DURING 1933

Chief J. S. McKinney presided at the monthly meeting of the Volunteer Firemen held Monday night, January 9, in the city hall. The principal business coming before the meeting was the election of officers for 1933, as follows:

J. S. McKinney, re-elected chief.
Bob Ware, re-elected secretary.
Jimmie Belden, first assistant chief.
Jim Leonard, second assistant chief.
D. Marshall Padgitt, re-elected treasurer.

A motion was made and carried that a vote of thanks be given Walter Cockrell for the splendid service he rendered as assistant chief during the past two years.

Following the meeting of the volunteer firement, the two hose companies met—Sam Burks Hose Company No. 2 and Hose Company No. 1, both electing officers.

Officers of the Sam Burks Hoe company No. 2 are as follows:
E. C. Reed, president.
W. A. Taylor, vice-president.
D. M. Padgitt, secretary and treasurer.
Walter Cockrell, captain.
Aurel Belden, assistant captain.
A. G. Sparlin, delegate to state convention, which meets in June.
W. A. Taylor, alternate delegate.

Officers of Hose company No. 1 are:
Orlia J. Moss, president.
Morley Neely, vice-president.
Bob Ware, secretary.
Paul Wilson, captain.
O. J. Moss, assistant captain.
John Moore, delegate to state convention.
Morley Neely, alternate delegate.

CHIEF J. S. McKINNEY

This was their first meeting of the year and every member was in attendance. McKinney feels fortunate in having such an efficient and loyal volunteer firemen's association. Its personnel is made up of some of the finest citizens of McKinney, who have the interest and welfare of the city at heart.

CLYDE M'MAHAN MAKES BALE TO ACRE COTTON

Tom Davis and sister, Miss Julia, who reside at 1015 Florence street, this city, are in receipt of a recent letter from their niece, Mrs. Clyde McMahan, Route 4, Haskell county. She and her husband were both reared in this county. Mrs. McMahan is a daughter of A. J. Caplinger, who lives on the J. D. Bass farm just west of McKinney.

She states that her husband had already gathered ninety-two carloads of cotton from his 100-acre crop and had eight or ten more yet to pull. These loads average 2,000 pounds each and make a bale of cotton that averages around 500 pounds or a little better. Last year was one of the best cotton crops that they had ever raised, and they would have done well had the price of the staple not been so low. They also made twenty-five tons of feedstuff in the way of maize, kaffir, etc., to run them through the next year.

Mrs. McMahan has sold thirty-five turkeys during the fall and early winter months. They send their best regards to all their many relatives and old friends living in this county.

NEWLYWEDS WILL LIVE IN McKINNEY

Denton Texas.—Announcement has been made here of the marriage of Miss Fay Thomas to Raymond W. McCauley. The marriage took place at Marietta, Oklahoma, Dec. 29.

Mrs. McCauley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thomas of Abilene. She attended school in Denton the past two years. Mr. McCauley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McCauley of Stamford. He also attended school in Denton the past two years. Mr. and Mrs. McCauley will reside in McKinney, where the groom has a business connection.—Sherman Democrat.

Mrs. Martin W. Moses has gone to Bertram, Texas, where she was called Friday night by the serious illness and death of her aged mother, Mrs. Robert Lewis. Funeral services are being held in Bertram last Monday afternoon.

The regular monthly meeting of the Collin County Home Demonstration Club association will be held Saturday afternoon, January 14, at 2 o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. All ladies of the home demonstration clubs are requested to take notice and be present as this is a very important meeting.

J. Duey May, well known McKinney contractor, is doing [illegible] improvements on the Gough estate building, Henry W. [illegible] on North Kentucky street. [illegible]

COLLIN BAPTIST WORKERS MEET AT N. BAPTIST

The Collin County Baptist Workers conference met with the North McKinney Baptist church Monday, January 9, for the regular monthly meeting, with everyone on the program present and ready when called on. The attendance was good, some 125 being present.

At noon the ladies of Circle 1, Mrs. F. G. Wheatley, chairman, served a delectable turkey luncheon, with all accessories including coffee and pie.

The pastor, Rev. G. B. Bradshaw, presided over the all-day meeting while Misses Beatrice Jackson and Bonnie Lou Hackney registered the guests during the day.

SISTER-IN-LAW OF EDITOR F. C. THOMPSON DIES

Editor F. C. Thompson of this city received word last Tuesday morning of the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Marium Willis, who died in Tulsa, Okla., Tuesday morning following a several weeks' illness. The deceased was 69 years and 14 days old at the time of her passing.

Funeral services were held in Tulsa Thursday, following the arrival of her children and other relatives.

The deceased was a native of Collin county, being a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McDuffey, pioneer settlers of Collin county. She was born Dec. 26, 1863, in the Vineland community, but while she was still quite young the family moved to Sherman where she spent the remainder of her life until she moved to Tulsa a few years ago. She was a life-long member of the Christian church.

The husband of the deceased preceded her to the grave. Mrs. Willis was well-known in McKinney where she visited on numerous occasions in the home of her sister, the late Mrs. F. C. Thompson. Her son, George B. Willis, now engaged in the railroad business in Oklahoma, at one time made his home with his aunt in McKinney and attended public school here. He still possesses a multitude of friends in this city and county.

A host of relatives survive the deceased, including several children, grandchildren, three brothers, three sisters, and nephews and nieces.

Mrs. J. W. Webb, 5838 Palo Pinto street, Dallas, sends renewal cash for her Daily Courier-Gazette subscription for a year in advance. Mrs. Webb resided in McKinney for many years, where her husband was one of our most influential business men.

N. M. Mott of this city pays for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette to be sent another year to his mother, Mrs. T. J. Mott, [illegible]

J. H. TIMMONS IS BELIEVER IN DIVERSIFICATION

One of Collin county's most progressive and best known farmers, who is a firm believer in diversification, is J. H. Timmons, residing some ten miles southeast of McKinney in the Blythe's Chapel community. Mr. and Mrs. Timmons have resided in this county for several years. They live on the well improved 160-acre farm owned by Judge G. R. Smith of McKinney. In addition to diversifying his crops, Mr. Timmons and wife raise a variety of fruits and vegetables which they can each fall for winter and spring use. Cows, poultry, and some big porkers keep the family abundantly supplied the year round in milk, butter, eggs, and meat.

Howard Burrow of the Railway Express company; Don W. Bagwill, city editor of these papers, and wife were recently invited supper guests in the Timmons home and needless to say the occasion proved a most delightful treat. The heavy table bore proof of the fact that Mr. Timmons and wife not only believe in diversification but practice it. Practically every item on the table was grown at home, including fresh meat, all kinds of canned vegetables and fruit. The visitors from McKinney did ample justice to the palatable meal, so graciously served by Mrs. Timmons and daughter, Miss Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. Timmons are the parents of ten fine children, seven boys and three girls, all of whom are following in the footsteps of their esteemed parents. Collin county could do well to boast of more families like the Timmons's.

Rev. H. F. Vermillion, pastor of the Baptist church at Nevada, and one of the ablest Baptist preachers and most effective public speakers of the state, heard the great addresses of Dr. George W. Truett and Dr. Wallace Bassett at the county-wide Prohibition rally held at the First Christian church in McKinney Sunday afternoon. Dr. Vermillion, who is a native of Collin county lately came back after an absence from it of over twenty years, serving his church in various other sections of the state and in various capacities.

MRS. GEORGIA HOLLY BURIAL TUESDAY

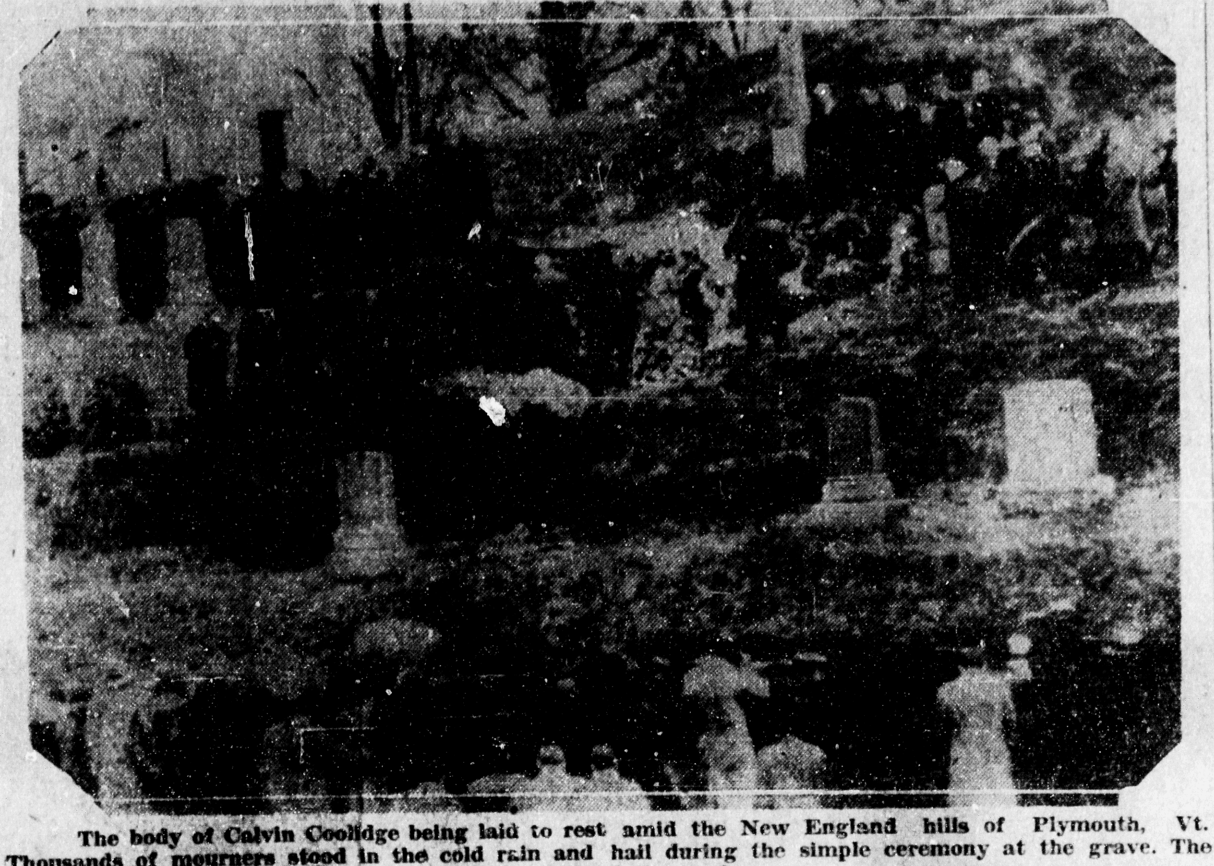
Mrs. Georgia Holly, aged 84, died at her home, 1310 South Chestnut street, Monday, January 9, at 2 o'clock. Funeral services were held this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock at Big Spring cemetery southeast of Plano, conducted by Rev. G. B. Bradshaw, pastor of the North McKinney Baptist church. Sam J. Massie & Son funeral directors had charge of funeral arrangements.

The deceased is survived by five sons and two daughters as follows: Jimmie Holly, Richardson; C. C. Holly, Fort Worth; John Sidney Holly, Roby, Texas; Joe Holly, Dallas; Marvin Holly, McKinney; Mrs. Ed Landers, Lawn, Texas; and Mrs. Clint C. Moore, Wichita Falls. Thirty-eight grandchildren and thirty great-grandchildren also survive as well as two sisters, Mrs. R. B. Greer of Garland and Mrs. Lige Brock of Wichita Falls.

An enjoyable family reunion was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bagwill, a delectable turkey dinner being provided by Mrs. Bagwill, at which seventeen members of the family and friends were present to enjoy the splendid repast. Those present for this enjoyable occasion other than Mr. and Mrs. Bagwill were: Editor and Mrs. A. A. Bagwill and daughter, Miss Louise, of Plano; Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Melton and children, Ardell and Miss Marguerite, and Wayne Graves, residing north of McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Don W. Bagwill; Miss Ruth Timmons of the Blythes Chapel community; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Homer W. Wilson.

Sunday was an unusually joyful day for William Lewis Thompson, who is one of the mid-term graduates of Boyd High school, and who is a son of Editor F. C. Thompson of the Examiner. After attending the baccalaureate sermon and services at the First Methodist church, William Lewis was honor guest at a special fine Sunday dinner served by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bowman. Centering the dining table was a beautiful bouquet of flowers, a special gift of his father for the occasion. Besides the honor guest, William Lewis, two of his boy chums, Frank Dowell, Jr., and James Ernest Wilson, were also present. Other guests present were Mr. Bowman, Miss Mary [illegible]

Coolidge Laid to Rest Beside Father and Son



The body of Calvin Coolidge being laid to rest amid the New England hills of Plymouth, Vt. Thousands of mourners stood in the cold rain and hail during the simple ceremony at the grave. The heavy bronze casket was placed beside those of his father and son.

International Illustrated News photo.

RED-HEADED CHILI SEXTET WINS, 50-16

The Red-Headed Chili sextet, one of the strongest girls' basketball teams in the country, invaded McKinney Monday night and defeated the McKinney High Lionesses, 50 to 16, in a fast game on the municipal coliseum court. Although the Lionesses were outclassed, they won much praise from the Dallas team as well as from the local fans.

The Lionesses play Plano tonight and are undefeated in high school circles.

For Dallas, Cole, who won the scoring honors with 22 points, was probably the outstanding star, although every member of the team played beautiful ball. For McKinney, Alice Russell, Capt. Latane Boyer, and Perry and LaFollette were outstanding. Vanette was high scorer for McKinney with 8 points while Capt. Boyer and Nell Pollard scored 2 and 6 respectively.

Mrs. Ed Thomas Sustains Injuries In Runaway

Mrs. Ed Thomas, residing a few miles west of McKinney, sustained injuries about 12:30 o'clock last Tuesday afternoon when thrown from a wagon when the team became frightened, running away.

She was rushed to the McKinney City hospital for treatment in the Isaac Crouch ambulance. Her husband and other members of the family were not injured in the accident.

The team became frightened while going down hill on West Louisiana street leading to the high school. Before they stopped, they ran into the car of L. A. Scott, parked in front of his home on West Louisiana street, badly damaging the machine.

Rev. and Mrs. D. P. Smith were Wylie visitors.

E. C. Gileon and family of Wylie have moved to Farmersville. Will Stewart and family will occupy the beautiful country home of Hiram Housewright in which they have been residing.

Miss Lucille Gallagher of Wylie who has been at home for the past week was able to return to her duties in Dallas. Miss Genevieve Gallagher has been quite sick with the flu also.

Rev. Al B. Nelson, pastor of the Christian church at Wylie, left recently for Berkley, California, where he will enter the University of California. Rev. Mr. Nelson has just received his M. A. degree from T. C. U.

C. C. Kreymer, who spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kreymer of Wylie, has returned to school at the State Medical School at Galveston.

Miss Ruth Timmons, who has been the guest of friends here for the past few days, returned to her home in the Blythe's Chapel community Tuesday. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Timmons.

The new gymnasium at Renner in Southwest Collin, recently completed, was formally dedicated [illegible]

BALTIMORE, Jan 10. — Trapped by flames that swept through a three-story brick dwelling, five members of a family lost their lives here early today.

These Editors Invited To Inaugural Ball

Governors Ma and Pa Ferguson will be inducted into the office of Governor again next Tuesday, January 17. Through Ma or Pa (or both of them, or, by their instructions) we are in receipt of an invitation to attend the Inaugural ball. We have seen the time when we "cut the pigeon wing" and have even been present and participated in these Inaugural balls, this editor having once been in the "line of grand march" when a Senator. Those were what you might call halcyon days of old. We hope that the entertainment will be a success and we see no reason why it should not be. To those who remembered us (whether Ma or Pa) we are deeply grateful. We know we cannot be present, because we have not so far this year the wherewith to register our Lizzie, and the full dress suit that we wore years ago, is laid away for keeps in the Cedar chest. It's pleasant to be poor, but it is mighty inconvenient.

Former McKinney Man Dies In Iowa

Friends in McKinney are in receipt of the sad message of the death of T. J. Mahan, who died at his home in Mt. Ayr, Iowa. The deceased is well known in McKinney where, a few years ago, he made his home. He is the father-in-law of Mrs. Jas. Mahan of Mt. Ayr, formerly Miss Kathryn Lucas of this city.

Mr. Mahan had been in ill health for several weeks. His many friends here and elsewhere deeply regret to learn of his passing.

We notice a bank statement issued the first of the present year by the Marshall National bank, Marshall, Texas, which showed deposits of more than $1,100,000: undivided profits $100,000, and a surplus fund of $100,000. The thing about the statement making it interesting to his McKinney friends is that its cashier is Roy Marcom, formerly with the Central State bank of this city, and a brother of B. A. Marcom of this city. Roy is a fine young man who has spent most of his business life as a banker.

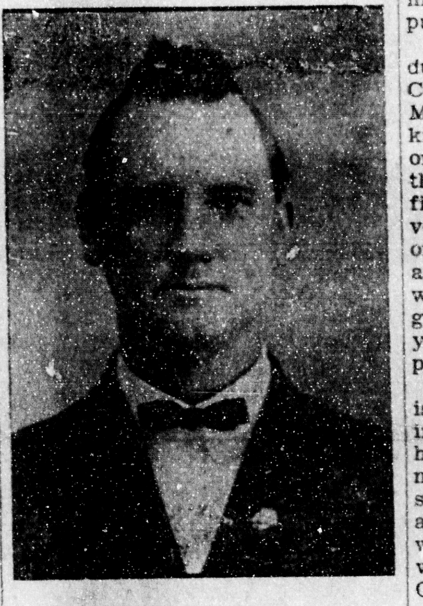
FLU EPIDEMIC ON THE WANE AT PRINCETON

Jno. K. Wilson, well known Princeton undertaker, was a recent McKinney business visitor and a welcome caller at this office. He informs us that he is just recovering from an attack of the flu. His wife and son, Wilbur, have also been ill, but are now better. Mr. Wilson was accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. Alma Wilson, of this city, who will attain her seventy-ninth birthday the twenty-fourth day of this month.

Mr. Wilson informs this editor that the flu epidemic is on the wane in Princeton and that most of those who have been confined with the disease are much better.

Ross Shinn, Route 2, Blue Ridge, requests the Weekly Democrat-Gazette to change his address to [illegible]

DAN E. NEATHERY IS GRATEFUL FOR HONORS



DAN E. NEATHERY

After faithfully serving Collin as County Tax Collector for two terms, Dan E. Neathery voluntarily retired on the first of the year from that office and turned the position over to his successor, N. D. Ready, who was elected to the place on the eighth of last November.

In retiring from that important county position, Mr. Neathery says that he does so with an abiding sense of gratitude in his heart to the voters of the county for the honors they have so generously bestowed upon him in the past, not only as County Tax Collector, but also for two terms as county treasurer, which they gave him by their suffrage more than twenty years ago.

Mr. Neathery is a native of Farmersville, being a son of the late Dr. A. H. Neathery, pioneer East Collin settler, practicing physician and successful business man. He is a brother of Hon. Sam Neathery, former county attorney of this county but for several years past a practicing attorney at Houston, Texas, and now city attorney of that great South Texas metropolis.

Dan E. Neathery says that the past four years in the office of County Tax Collector have been very pleasant ones in his life and will abide in memory as fond recollections to him and his. It is true that most of the period has witnessed an unprecedented economic depression during which many people have been greatly strained to pay their taxes and many of them have not been able to pay them in full. Yet, Mr. Neathery and his efficient force of deputies have uniformly rendered every assistance and accomodation possible to extend to the taxpayers of the county in their dealings with his office.

He went through the four year tenure of office with the same group of deputies in the main almost without exception. Harmony has characterized his deputies in working with him and with each other, as well as efficiency. He also wishes to publicly acknowledge his obligations to these faithful assistants during his administration. He shall always feel indebted to them.

Dan E. Neathery is a modest, big hearted citizen, public official and friend, and these editors are glad to be numbered among his host of well wishers and staunch friends and acquaintances in every part and section of our great blackland county.

Judge Wallace Hughston has returned to his home in McKinney after a professional trip to Austin and San Antonio.

H. E. MORGAN EXPERT IN TAX MATTERS

Henry E. Morgan, former County Tax Collector of Collin county, has had an extended, active connection with the offices of Tax Assessor and Tax Collector of this county and has given him a thorough insight to the duties of both offices.

In 1912, he became deputy under the late H. R. (Pete) Chaddick, who was elected that year as County Tax Collector.

Four years later, Mr. Morgan was himself elected as chief in that office and efficiently served for two terms or four years.

After retiring from that position, he accepted a deputyship under the then County Tax Assessor Forest O. Board.

In 1924, he accepted a deputyship under County Tax Collector A. T. Raper and continued in the same position through the succeeding four years of two terms of Dan E. Neathery, who was elected in 1928 and who voluntarily retired from the office on the first of the present year.

His long connection in these two offices resulted in thoroughly familiarizing Mr. Morgan with their duties to a degree that is rarely ever attained and which comes only from painstaking attention and experience.

Mr. Morgan's contact with the general public in helping to prepare tax rolls, or to collect taxes, has always been characterized by the utmost courtesy and obliging service on his part. He is intimately acquainted with taxpayers in every nook and corner of the county. His unfailing good humor, cheerfulness and cleverness have resulted in making him a most popular as well as efficient public official.

In retiring from his court house duties with the administration of County Collector Dan Neathery, Mr. Morgan does so with the kindest of feeling towards everyone. He is grateful for the honor that has been given him and confidence reposed in him by the voters and by those elected to office under whom he has served as deputy from time to time. He wishes one and all the utmost of good fortune throughout the new year in the way of healh and prosperity.

He believes that Collin county is the garden spot of all the world in which to live and he says that he knows her good people cannot be excelled in good citizenship or in any other commendable trait of character. He wouldn't be satisfied to live anywhere else than right here in Grand Old Collin.

Morris Gay was in Sherman Tuesday on business.

N. T. Lee of Sherman was here on business Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Simms, who resides on North Church street, continues ill at her home with the flu.

Mr. Gildersleeve, of J. C. Penney company, was in McKinney on business Monday, visiting the local J. C. Penney company.

Joe Uselton of Plano was painfully injured Monday afternoon, his car colliding with a truck he was passing near Mineral Wells.

A mule belonging to John Wallace (colored) was killed when the wagon driven by the colored gentleman was struck by a car near Plano.

F. P. Shrader of Frisco has received a message, stating that his brother, Rev. H. P. Shrader of Corsicana, is seriously ill and expected to live only a short while.

News has been received by W. C. Bowman of Frisco of the passing of his father, formerly a resident of this county, who died at Tolar, Grayson county.

Mrs. J. G. Fitzhugh has had some nice improvements at her home in the way of papering and painting. Lat Chandler did the work.

F. S. Williams requests us to change his address from Wylie, Route 1, to Nevada, Route 2, in the future.

Horace Butler and Will U. Waters, two prominent Allen citizens and business men, attended the big county-wide Prohibition rally at the First Christian church here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. P. Gifford, 2632 Throckmorton, Dallas, sends renewal cash for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette necessary to keep the paper going to her address until January 1, 1934. Mrs. Gifford is a daughter of the late M. N. Stroup, a Verona pioneer citizen.

R. S. Sutherland, a prominent Josephine farmer, was a recent business visitor at our office. Mr. Sutherland lives on his farm that runs almost to the edge of Josephine. He has lived in that part of Southeast Collin for twenty years. He was accompanied by John M. Havens, a neighbor, and also a prominent farmer and citizen of the county.

COLLIN COUNTY RELIEF FUND CHECK MAILED

Secretary W. Hammond Moore of the McKinney Chamber of Commerce said today a large number of applicants had already made their appearance for work under the proposed relief, furnished this city and county through the Reconstruction Finance corporation relief fund.

A letter from the East Texas Chamber of Commerce today informed Secretary Moore that Collin county's check was being mailed. As soon as the check arrives, work will begin here and over the county, enabling a large number of the idle to work at least part of the week. The relief funds will be used to provide work during the months of January and February.

EDITOR TOON AND WIFE HERE FROM SANGER

Editor H. Buford Toon of the Sanger Courier and wife were visitors in McKinney for awhile Tuesday. Editor Toon and wife were near victims of an accident enroute to McKinney this morning from Dallas which necessitated repairs on their car at the Underwood Chevrolet company here.

Editor and Mrs. Toon were approaching a wagon, both coming north, when a delivery truck, ahead of him, started around the wagon. An approaching car from the opposite direction caused the delivery truck to suddenly swerve back into the road directly in the path of the Toon car. Another car, coming behind the Sanger editor's car, crashed into them, badly damaging the machine.

H. Buford Toon and wife have a host of friends in McKinney and community who are glad to see them again. We acknowledge a friendly call from the Sanger editor.

They are guests of Joe H. Wilson and wife. Mr. Wilson, a brother to Mrs. Toon, is a local shoe merchant.

John K. Wilson, well known business man of Princeton, was in the city Tuesday.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

From The Files of The Daily Courier-Gazette

(January 9, 1908)

N. B. Lynn, aged 83 years and 14 days, died yesterday at the home of his son, A. W. Lynn, South McKinney. Burial took place this afternoon at Princeton beside the remains of his wife who died March 2, 1906. At the time of his wife's death, they had been married sixty-two years, being the oldest married couple at the time in Collin county. On August 18, 1904, they celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary at their farm home just east of Princeton. Newton Bennett Lynn was born December 2, 1824, in Jasper county, Georgia. Miss Sarah Dickens was born in Washington county, Georgia, January 18, 1826. When he was twenty, and she was seventeen they were married in Russell county, Alabama. They moved to Collin county in 1877. They were the parents of fourteen children.

(EDITOR'S NOTE—These were the grandparents of Moore Lynn, the present state auditor of Texas, whose services as such distinguishes him as one of the most useful citizens and generally respected in our state.)

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Elliot gave a six o'clock dinner last evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher B. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Newsome, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howell, Avery Dowell, and Miss Vera Gee of Pilot Point and Miss Sarah Howell.

Mrs. W. W. Scott and daughter, Miss Lena, left today for Oklahoma to join their husband and father to make it their future home.

LOST—Overcoat between my home in the Enloe community and McKinney. Return to the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette office for reward. Rev. Abe Enloe.

Miss Sallie Lou Brown, teacher of Bowlby school, severely sprained her ankle one day last week. While she is [illegible] from the painful injury, her sister, Miss Ada Brown, is substitute teacher.

Sam and Roy Apple [illegible] painting [illegible] Wood & Camp Construction [illegible] office.

The Daily Courier-Gazette andThe Weekly Democrat-Gazette

OF McKINNE ANNOUNCES

$2,000.00 AUTOMOBILEAND PRIZE CAMPAIGN

CAMPAIGN OPEN TO MEN AND WOMEN OF M'KINNEY AND SURROUNDING TERRITORY

FIRST GRND PRIZE

SEVEN AWARDS IN ALL---FREE---MARCH 11TH---YOU CAN SHARE

LET'S GO

EASY TO WIN

YOU ARE NOT LIMITED TO ANY PARTICULAR TERRITORY TO OBTAIN YOUR SUBSCRIPTIONS AND VOTES -- THIS WORLD IS YOUR FIELD, WHETHER YOU LIVE 50 MILES OR ONLY A BLOCK FROM THE CAMPAIGN OFFICE YOUR OPPORTUNITY TO WIN THE BIG SEDAN IS THE SAME!

THE CAR AND OTHER PRIZES ARE ALL GRAND FREE - FOR - ALL PRIZES. YOUR CHANCE IS EQUAL. YOUR HUSTLING ABILITY WILL DETERMINE.

GET BUSY TODAY

CASH AWARDS

Second Prize $100.00 Cash

Third Prize ....$50.00 Cash

Latest 1933 Model

Costing $758.35

Fully Equipped

With Trunk Rack

—And—

Six Wire Wheels

CHEVROLET SPECIAL DXE FOUR DOOR SEDAN

Purchased am Display At

UNDERWOOD CHEVLET COMPANY, Inc.

McKINNEY, TEXAS — PLANO, TEXAS

CASH AWARDS

Fourth Prize ...$25.00 Cash

Fifth Prize .... $25.00 Cash
Sixth Prize .... $25.00 Cash
Seventh Prize .... $25.00 Cash

LET'S GO

EASY TO ENTER

JUMP IN TODAY AND PUT YOUR OWN TOWN OR COMMUNITY ON THE MAP IN BIG RED LETTERS BY WINNING THIS BIG CAR. NOT LUCK, NOT CHANCE—EARNEST EFFORT ALONE WILL WIN. TEST YOUR SALESMANSHIP ABILITY, REMEMBER, THOSE WHO START NOW WILL HAVE THE ADVANTAGE.

BE AN EARLY BIRD. THIS IS A SHORT CAMPAIGN. SATURDAY, MARCH 11TH, IS ONLY A VERY SHORT DISTANCE AHEAD. YOUR HUSTLING ABILITY WILL PLACE YOU IN THE WINNING LIST.

RIDE AWAY

March 11th. 1933

HOW SUBSCRIPTIONS COUNT IN VOTES AND HOW TO GET WINNING VOTES

It costs nothing to compete, either now or later.

Votes alone will decide the winners. These votes are obtained by securing new and renewal subscriptions to the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette. These subscriptions may be obtained ANYWHERE. Candidates are not limited to their own towns in securing subscriptions.

Below is shown the subscription rates of the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette and the number of votes given on each subscription according to the amount paid. Note particularly the tremendous vote on longer term subscriptions:

The Daily Courier-Gazette Delivered Daily By Carrier in McKinney

Term	Price	Votes
36 Months	$15.00	100,000
24 Months	10.00	45,000
12 Months	5.00	15,000
6 Months	3.00	5,000
3 Months	1.50	2,000

The Daily Courier-Gazette Daily By Mail In Texas

Term	Price	Votes
36 Months	$12.00	100,000
24 Months	8.00	45,000
12 Months	4.00	15,000
6 Months	2.25	5,000
3 Months	1.25	2,000

The Daily Courier-Gazette Daily By Mail Out of Texas

Term	Price	Votes
36 Months	$15.00	100,000
24 Months	10.00	45,000
12 Months	5.00	15,000
6 Months	2.50	5,000
3 Months	1.25	2,000

Weekly Democrat-Gazette By Mail In Texas

Term	Price	Votes
36 Months	$3.00	12,000
24 Months	2.00	5,000
12 Months	1.00	2,000

Weekly Democrat-Gazette By Mail Out of Texas

Term	Price	Votes
36 Months	$4.50	12,000
24 Months	3.00	5,000
12 Months	1.50	2,000

Advantage of additional votes may be obtained by securing extensions on subscriptions taken during the early part of the campaign. Such subscriptions must be marked "Second Payment" on the stub, and the amount of first payment must be also written. Subscriptions for longer periods than above listed will receive votes pro rata on the above scale.

HOW AWARDS WILL BE MADE

The prizes will be given away absolutely free on March 11th, 1933 to the persons polling the highest number of votes by that time. The contestant, regardless of where he or she lives, who polls the highest number of votes by 9 P. M., Saturdays, March 11th, wins the CHEVROLET SIX SEDAN, COSTING $758.35. The candidate polling second highest number of votes by Saturday, March 11th, at 9 P. M., will receive $100.00 in cash. The persons polling third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh highest number of votes by Saturday, March 11th at 9 P. M., will receive cash prizes os follows: Third, $50.00 in cash; fourth, $25.00 in cash; fifth, $25.00 in cash, sixth and seventh, $25.00 in cash.

BEAR IN MIND THAT PLACE OF RESIDENCE MAKES NO DIFFERENCE—THE SEVEN HIGHEST, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THEY LIVE IN McKINNEY OR ANY OF THE TOWNS OR ON A RURAL ROUTE, WIN THE PRIZES. THE CAR OR CASH PRIZES MIGHT BE WON IN McKINNEY, ONE MIGHT GO TO THE COUNTRY AND TWO IN THE CITY OR VICE VERSA. THE PRIZES ARE GRAND FREE-FOR-ALL PRIZES!

To those failing to win the automobile or cash prizes, cash commissions will be paid to all qualified under the rule as printed elsewhere in this announcement.

CAMPAIGN OFFICIALLY OPENS MONDAY, JANUARY 16TH, 1933.

CAMPAIGN POSITIVELY CLOSES SATURDAY, MARCH 11TH, 1933.

Here's the most astounding news in years—$2,000 w[illegible]izes and commissions, including a splendid automobile—to be distributed among men and women of McKinney and [illegible]ng territory! NOT A CENT OF COST! These magnificent prizes will be the reward of those who particip[illegible]ort and thrilling effort for votes. Just get the votes in your spare time during the next few weeks, and the smart [illegible] motor car pictured here will be YOURS! What an event! What an opportunity. The plan of distribution has bee[illegible] so that everybody may share in this stupendous prize race. Read this announcement thoroughly—see the beaut[illegible]at has been selected for this big event—then start in and WIN!

HOW TO G[illegible] STARTED

An early beginning is a positive advantage. The firs[illegible] clip the nomination blank in the lower right hand corner of this announcement. Fill out your own name and adrres[illegible]ritten and mail or bring it in to the Campaign Manager, The Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-[illegible]Texas. This nomination blank starts you off in the race for a fine car with 2,000 votes.

Tell all your friends you are in the race to win the [illegible]rier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette's splendid prize automobile, and get their subscriptions to these [illegible]s. THE FIRST SUBSCRIPTION you get will entitle you to the regular votes according to the vote schedule show[illegible] page and an additional 10,000 votes when accompanied by the FIRST SUBSCRIPTION COUPON printed in the lo[illegible]and corner.

Suppose, for instance, your first subscription is se[illegible] a friend who is now a Daily Courier-Gazette subscriber, and he takes it or renews it for one year, by carrier in [illegible] or by mail outside the city of McKinney. That would entitle you to 15,000 regular votes. Add to that your no[illegible]credit of 2,000 votes and the first subscription credit of 10,000 votes—you are on your way to success with 27,000 v[illegible]

Votes will accumulate rapidly. The wide popularity [illegible]ly Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette, makes it easy to get subscriptions. Your friends will be eager t[illegible] WIN! They will help you. The manner in which the prizes will be awarded is such that every candidate, r[illegible]f what part of the territory he or she may live in has an equal chance. All are on equal footing, having equal [illegible] win an automobile.

If you cannot enter yourself, you probably know a f[illegible] would appreciate an opportunity to win this fine automobile. Nominate that friend; but reflect carefully before [illegible]his opportunity slip by. Just a few weeks of your spare time effort may land the biggest prize. "A Car in Eight [illegible]ake that your slogan! Send in that nomination blank NOW! You will then receive complete information and [illegible]necessary so that you can start right out gathering votes.

NOMINATE Y[illegible]RSELF OR A FRIEN[illegible]ODAY!

RULES GOVERNING CONTEST

Fill out the nomination blank below with your name or the name of the person to be nominated. Bring or mail this blank to the Campaign Manager and you will be credited with 2,000 votes as a starter.

Any man or woman, either married or single, of good character, may become a candidate in this campaign and is entitled to one nomination credit of 2,000 votes.

The Campaign Manager reserves the right to reject objectionable nominations.

There are no obligations attached to entering this campaign and it costs absolutely nothing to try for a prize.

The Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette reserves the right to place additional prizes on the list.

Candidates must remain active in order to qualify for a prize, and must turn in each week.

No candidate will be permitted to transfer votes to another candidate after receiving them.

Subscriptions cannot be transferred. All subscriptions must be paid in cash before votes are issued.

No subscriptions for a longer period than 5 years will be accepted.

In accepting nominations all candidates agree to abide by the conditions named.

All prizes will be delivered to winners at McKinney just as soon as the winners are announced by the official judges.

In case of a tie for any of the prizes, the candidates tieing will receive prizes identical with the one tied for.

This campaign opens officially Monday, January 16th and closes Saturday, March 11th, at 9 P. M.

No agreement or promise, either written or verbal, made by solicitors other than those published in the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette will be recognized.

No salaried employee of the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette will be allowed to compete in this contest, nor supply coupons to any contestant.

The Campaign Manager reserves the right to make changes and conditions that are deemed necessary in the interest of the campaign to the conditions of the prize list.

Everybody Wins

20 % Cash COMMISSION

"PAY DAY EVERY DAY"

An appropriation has been set aside to pay cash commissions to contestants who do not win automobile or other prizes. Every active worker who fails to win one of the regular prizes will receive 20 per cent of the amount in new subscriptions he or she has turned in, daily.

There will be several big prizes awarded besides this 20 per cent cash commission which will be paid to candidates DAILY, when they make their reports. It is understood and agreed that the winners of the prizes will consider their daily commission in the light of an "Advance" which is refundable upon presentation of a prize.

NOT ONLY DOES THE CAMPAIGN OFFER YOU AN UNPARALLELLED OPPORTUNITY TO WIN A HANDSOME PRIZE FOR EFFORT—IT IS A GOOD PAYING JOB AS WELL!

CALL, WRITE OR SEND IN YOUR NAME TODAY AND SHARE IN THIS LIBERAL OFFER---AN EARLY STARINS SUCCESS---A LITTLE EFFORT AND YOU CAN DRIVE YOUR OWN CAR ON SATURDAY, MARCH 11TH

FIRST SUBSCRIPTION COUPON Good For 10,000 EXTRA VOTES

This coupon accompanied by the nomination blank and your First subscription will start you in the race with more than 12,000 votes. Only one of these coupons will be credited to each candidate.

Name of Subscriber ....

Address of Subscriber ....

Candidate's Name ....

Address .... Am't. Encl. $ ....

Return this coupon to the campaign manager of the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette with your first subscription and you will receive 10,000 extra votes in addition to regular votes as shown in the regular schedule.

THIS BLANK

and one subscription to the

DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE AND WEEKLY DEMOCRAT-GAZETTE

starts you with more than

14,000 VOTES

See one of your friends today about this subscription.

Let this blank be your stepping stone to success.

GOOD FOR 20 FREE VOTES

DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE AND WEEKLY DEMOCRAT-GAZETTE PRIZE CAMPAIGN

(Must be voted or mailed before January 17th)

Name ....

Address ....

Town ....

This coupon will count 20 votes when properly filled out and sent to the Campaign Manager, Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette, before expiration date printed herein. Coupons must be neatly trimmed and put in flat package with the number of votes written on top.

The Automobile is a Brand New—Latest 1933 Model and Has Never Been Driven

Enter Today Don't Delay Let's Go!

For further informati[illegible]ription Blanks, etc.,

CALL, W[illegible]PHONE

CAMPAI[illegible]NAGER

THE DAILY C[illegible]R-GAZETTE AND WEEKLY D[illegible]RAT-GAZETTE

Office: North [illegible] Street

OPEN EVEN[illegible]TIL 7:30

Phone 64 or 65 — McKinney, Texas

How Territory Is Divided

There is but one district. All territory in the city of McKinney, as well as all territory outside the city of McKinney, consists of but one district.

Every contestant has the same opportunity to win the automobile or one of the cash prizes, whether they live in McKinney, Plano, Farmersville, Celina, or elsewhere. The prizes go to the first highest candidates, regardless of where they live.

HOW VOTES ARE SECURED

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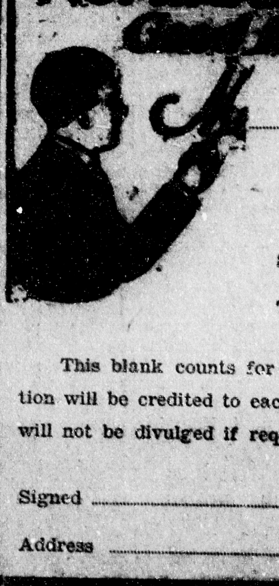

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POLITICS

Politics, hard times, oil, and other questions of a varied nature is the fare of the Forty-third legislature which opened for its long session in Austin at noon today. Hard times will demand a seat at the head of the table as the lawmakes attempt to squeeze governmental outgo down to the size of the governmental income. One of the new members, who is occupying his seat for the first time this session, is Hon. Joe W. McCullough of McKinney, Collin county representative, who succeds Chas. Akin of Princeton.

FICKLE WEATHER MAN

McKinney citizens have again been treated to a variety of weather during the past several days, including rainy, partly cloudy and sunshiny days. A cold rain fell in this city through Friday night and Saturday, totaling around two inches and accompanied by a stiff north breeze. Although Sunday was slightly colder, the rain ceased falling about noon. Monday and Tuesday dawned beautiful, sunshiny days, bringing renewed spirits to thousands of Collinites. The heavy rain was expected to be beneficial to the soil and to winter wheat and other grain crops of the season.

A BANNER YEAR

We aren't recognized as an A-1 prognosticator, but we can't help seeing lots of success for our county agents during 1933. A banner year is in the offing for both County Agent Jack McCullough and his 4-H boys and County Home Demonstration Agent Miss Helen Dunlap and her club girls and women. They have set about their 1933 duties with a high resolve to make this year a better one than ever before—if that is possible. Their fine work can not be measured in terms of dollars and cents.

JAYCEES

And, another thing—our Jaycees promise to work harder for McKinney in 1933 than they did in 1932. They are entering upon their second year, having recently elected officers—and they mean business! McKinney expects much of the Jaycees, and we believe they are going to deliver. We are proud of our McKinney Junior Chamber of Commerce.

REPAYING FARM LOANS

Press dispatches relate that Texas farmers have repaid nearly half of their loans, representing money lent farmers of the Lone Star state for seed and feed loans and for other purposes during the last spring and early summer. The figures show that the 34,677 borrowers obtained a total of $3,221,620.86 and that up to Nov. 30, last, $1,341,836.94 had been repaid. Collin county's record in loans secured and amount paid back to the government shows that there were seventy-seven borrowers from this county who obtained $7,728. They have already paid back $5,486.89—an unusually good record, in comparison with other Texas counties.

MRS. NANCY ALLEN PASSES AWAY EARLY SATURDAY

Mrs. Nancy Allen, wife of A. W. Allen, died at her home in Southeast McKinney last Saturday morning at 1 o'clock after an illness of more than two years. Funeral services were held in the King Memorial Baptist church, of which she was a member, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, Rev. G. O. Key. Interment followed in Wilson Chapel cemetery under the direction of the Sam J. Massie & Son, funeral directors.

Besides her husband, five children survive as follows: H. E. Allen, West, Texas, Mrs. Lee Kelley, Longview; Mrs. Carmelia Wright, Sulphur Springs; Mrs. Effie Waide and Mrs. Texie Orr, both of McKinney.

One sister, Mrs. M. E. Bracken of Itasca, also survives.

The deceased was born in Alabama, July 12, 1863, being at the time of her passing, 69 years, 5 months and 25 days old. The family have resided in McKinney since 1914, with exception of a few years which they spent at West, Texas, returning to McKinney about eight years ago. Mr. Allen is employed with the Texas Textile Mill here.

A meeting of the Texas centennial committee and governing board of 100 members will be held at Austin Jan. 17 to prepare a report the committee is to present to the legislature. Cullen F. homas of Dallas is president of the committee. Adoption of definite recommendations was delayed by the committee pending the vote on the constitutional amendment to authorize state participation in the centennial with financial aid.

S. L. Skipwith of Lavon has our thanks for a dollar which places him in good standing as a new Weekly Democrat-Gazette reader for the ensuing year. Mr. Skipwith is an excellent farmer.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON SUNDAY FOR HI SENIORS

Baccalaureate services for McKinney High School mid-term graduates were held Sunday morning at the First Methodist church with the pastor, Dr. Claude M. Simpson, bringing a splendid sermon for the occasion.

The church was filled to capacity and extra seats were provided to care for the large audience of relatives, friends, and acquaintances of the high seniors.

Dr. Simpson took as his text the following passage from the book of Matthew, "Master, I will follow Thee, wheresoever Thou goest." His sermon was based upon the following bit of verse from Dr. Henry Van Dyke, teacher of English at Princeton University and world diplomat:

"Four things a man must learn to do:
To think without counfusion clearly,
To love his fellow man sincerely,
To act from honest motives purely,
And trust in God and Heaven, securely."

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Sermon Eloquent Rendition

His sermon, an eloquent rendition, was unusually impressive and one that held the attention of every member of the large congregation.

Mrs. Gibson Caldwell, organist, was at the pipe organ throughout the services, playing both the processional and recessional and also the accompaniment for the anthems and other special musical numbers.

The church rostrum and choir loft was attractively decorated in an abundance of holly, ferns, carnations and other plants and flowers, providing an ideal setting for the impressive services.

Miss Janet Miller, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Bryce Miller, added to the program with a beautifully rendered vocal number, "This Is My Task."

Representatives of the Low Senior class who acted as ushers for the high seniors were J. B. Strickling and Jimperry Love.

Dr. Simpson declared that in the interest of Christianity and education he brought greetings to the students, the faculty, and the parents. "You do us a favor in bringing this occasion to our church."

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Better Men Is Aim

Pointing out that the final authority in life is God in Christ, who came to save all men, he asserted that the Christ life always seeks to create character. Better men can do better work. Earlier than the question, "What kind of work you are going to do?" is the question "What kind of men and women are you going to be?"

Referring to the first line of Van Dyck's poem, "To think without confusion clearly," he described the condition of the Old South at the close of the Civil war, calling attention to its depleted ranks of men, too weary to fight and too proud to run. "It was one of the greatest tragedies our country has ever known. Now, although seventy years have intervened, another tragedy faces us today—the lives of ignorant and untrained men."

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Gives Data on Schools

At this point in his sermon, the speaker gave some startling facts on the condition of Texas schools, showing the need of education in this and other states. Of particular interest was his illustration of 1,000 school children who were watched closely and whose records were kept from the time they first entered school. Of the 1,000, 600 finished the ward school; of this number, 300 entered high school, 111 completing the high school curriculum.

Of the 111, thirty-eight entered college, of which number only fourteen finished the required course.

"Therein lies one of our tragic truths, for we find only fourteen at the first division of our training system out of 1,000 students."

Passing on to the next thought in Dr. Van Dyck's poem—"To love his fellow man sincerely"—Dr. Simpson told his hearers that love is as old as man himself. "This love, philosophers have written about and poets have sung its glories. Literature is filled with the glorious lives it persuaded to live, as well as with its heroic deaths. Christ took love and lifted it into a transcendant power. It is, in brief, an enthusiasm for humanity, beautifying everything it touches.

"Love persuaded William Cary to leave his home and to go into heathen India. It persuaded John G. Pickin, of Glasgow university, Scotland, to become a missionary. It likewise had its effect on Florence Nightingale, Jane Addams, and others who serve humanity and who are pouring out their hearts to the need of mankind."

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Honest Motives

Referring to the next thought from Van Dyck—"To Act from honest motives purely" — Dr. Simpson declared that the motive of one's heart will determine their course in life. An admirable illustration of this thought is found in the life of William Gladstone who espoused no cause without the approval of his own soul.

"We must choose between the right and wrong standards. No genius of achievement can save a man lacking in moral integrity. He may be temporarily exalted upon the throne of wrong and deceit, but his downfall is as certain as the grinding mill of the Gods."

The genius and achievement of Aaron Burr was recalled, though the lack of moral character caused his undoing.

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World Relationship

"The final and supreme thing, the climax of it all," the speaker said, "is, in the words of Van Dyck, 'To trust in God and Heaven securely.'" He urged this same abiding faith to be tried out, not only among individuals, but among the nations of the world. At this point, he told of the settlement of the Chilean and Argentine boundary dispute, of seventy years standing, in 1904. A bronze statue was erected, depicting the prince of peace—known as "The Christ of the Andes" erected on the borderland, with this inscription beneath the Christ statue: "Sooner shall these mountains crumble to dust than will Chile and Argentine break the bonds of peace to which they have pledged themselves this day through Christ, the Redeemer."

"Progress," he said, "has already been made along this line." as he recalled the proposed International Court of Arbitration, the World court, the Kellogg Peace pact and the disarmament conference.

"We need to tell the world of the love of Christ and show a confidence in the Divine teachings, with the accompanying kindness and good will. Some call the idea of such a state of affairs the dream of an idealist, but it is the belief of those who believe the story of the Bible and who abide by the Biblical scripture, "Peace on earth, good will to men."

He urged the establishment of a brotherhood of nations under the leadership of God.

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Final Admonition

Dr. Simpson closed by saying to the Seniors, "You who go out this week to higher institutions of learning, to the business world and to your homes make the Master your teacher and your guide, for He must have final authority. Resolve now to abide by this thought, "Master, I will follow Thee wheresoever Thou shalt lead."

NEVADA

Mrs. W. T. McCain, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis and three children, Paul D., Bettie Jim, and Ollie Jane, spent Christmas with her parents in Bonham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dicard enjoyed having all of their children home for Christmas day dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hartman. Mms. G. W. Pool Sr., Truman Smith, and Miss Etta Robinson were shopping in Dallas Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gay of McKinney were welcome visitors in our city on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Evans are rejoicing over a little baby daughter in their home. She came Dec. 27. The little miss is named Johnnie Merle.

Those who are in school at different places and are spending Christmas holidays at home are Misses Mildred Taylor, Marjorie Bryant, Meline McCormick, Inez Summers, Esther and Lorence, Mary Louise and Clyde Box, all of Denton teachers' college; Messrs. Gordie Evans, Dillard LaRue and Weldon Smith from Texas university at Austin. Those who are teaching who are home are Misses Georgie Evans, Ruth Evans, Tommie Evans, Lucy Evans, Gladys Florence and Junior Taylor.

Mrs. Charley Caldwell spent Christmas in Dallas.

Pierce McClendon had a government job in Dallas during the holidays.

Mrs. Tom Box and little son, Tommie Grey, of El Paso, are visiting her parents, and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Kerley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal O'Neal of Commerce took Christmas dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McClendon.

The Methodist Home Missionary society met in their regular social meeting last Monday at the Methodist church which was a Christmas party. A short business meeting was held with our president, Mrs. Addy, in charge. After the meeting our social chairman, Mrs. LaRue, took charge. We had a contest, pertaining to Christmas, which was enjoyed by all. Then a beautiful Christmas tree, caused much excitement. Mrs. G. W. Pool Sr. and Mrs. R. A. Maxey were the Santa Clauses. Each member received a beautiful gift as names were darwn. Delicious refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served to eighteen members and two welcome guests, Mrs. George Evans of Josephine and Mrs. DeWitt Mayo of Tulia, Texas. Then the birthday bag was brought. Mms. N. J. Davis and J. M. McCain Jr. drew lovely gifts, their birthdays being in December.

This being our president's last time to preside before our new year, when Mrs. M. E. Evans takes the chair. We presented the retiring president with a beautiful friendship quilt with each member's name embroidered on it.

H. O. McCain of Gainesville attended the Cole & Smith wedding Wednesday night, the bride being a niece of his.

Sorry to report Miss Lucille Davis ill with the flu.

W. B. Holsonbake, Miss Mattie Lee Carver, and Mrs. Lee Carver of Farmersville attended the Cole Smith wedding Wednesday night at the Baptist church.

Misses Eunice and Allene Pouncey shopped in Farmersville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pool Jr. had their little five-week-old infant operated on at St. Paul's hospital in Dallas. Little Andy went through the serious operation Tuesday. Last report Saturday, he was doing nicely. Their many friends wish for the pseedy recovery of the little one and hope to bring him home soon.

Mrs. Bill Evans of Dallas was a holiday visitor in the home of her mother, Mrs. Robbie Radcliff.

Mrs. Charley Smith of McKinney attended the Cole-Smith wedding. The bride is her granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Mayo of Tulia, Texas, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs John Mayo and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Watkins and other relatives.

Mrs. Claude Burns and two daughters, Virginia Nelle and Billie Sue of Fate, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCurrin and family.

Prof. J. W. Akins, wife, and two daughters, Dorothy Nelle and Louise of Wylie, spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gooch and son James Roland of Farmersville, spent the day Wednesday with her mother, H. S. Wayburn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Stundford of Bonham took Christmas dinner with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kirby and family.

Miss Jennie Lou Vaughan is ill with the "flu," but she is improving rapidly.

Officers, both county and city, state that automobile owners, when they leave their cars parked anywhere, should lock them since so much petty thieving is going on. By doing so, you will save many items during the year that you inadvertently lose and do not know it. Officers also state that when people leave their homes, even to come to town, they should lock their doors as a precautionary measure.

Mrs. Raymond Nelson has gone to Shreveport, Louisiana, to visit her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Kight and one-week-old baby daughter. According to word received by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shaw in this city, the mother and baby are getting along splendidly. Mr. and Mrs. Kight have one other child, a girl, Mary Alice, aged seven.

Miss Dot Gross of Waxahachie is the guest of her friend Miss Gertrude Coppedge.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

From The Files of The Daily Courier-Gazette

(Jan. 4, 1908.)

A public installation of modern Woodmen of America was held at their lodge room last night. Lou Roberts was in charge of the opening ceremonies. Deputy Head Consul H. Mendenhall installed the following officers: T. T. Webb, consul; T. Lou Roberts, advisor; W. D. Hight, banker; Ernest Wilson, clerk; Frank Faires, escort; J. E. Carpenter, watchman; Turley Payne, censor; Dr. J. E. Hunter, physician; Managers, H. C. Aushburn, D. S. Hawkins, and John M. White.

A meeting of J. W. Throckmorton camp will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Every member come out. Sons and daughters also invited—W. T. Moore, commander; O. H. Leake, adjutant.

C. W. Coffey, a mighty good man living east of Anna, was a business visitor at our office today.

Misses Goldie Warden and Mavet Thomas will leave tomorrow for Columbia, Mo., to reenter Christian college.

William Duncan is moving back to his farm nine miles west of McKinney, after having lived in McKinney for several years.

Mrs. Mary Faires and Mrs. Joe Dutton returned today from Fort Worth, accompanying the remains of Mrs. Henry Dutton and attended her burial at Forest Grove this afternoon.

Gus Allen is now a clerk in Price Stiff's grocery store. He is one of our city's most popular grocery salesmen.

A. E. WILSON PASSED AWAY DECEMBER 29TH

Through a granddaughter, the wife of Dr. M. Smotherman, 300 North Commerce street, Corsicana, Texas, this paper has just learned of the death of our good old friend, A. E. Wilson, father of the late George H. Wilson of near McKinney. He died Thursday, Dec. 29, of pneumonia at the home of his son, W. R. Wilson, with whom he spent the last years of life in Kansas City, Mo.

The deceased was born in Tell City, Ind., Dec. 13, 1850, being, therefore, at the time of his death 82 years and 16 days old.

Mr. Wilson was married to Miss Betty Brooks in Indiana, March 9, 1873. He and his bride soon moved to Texas, settling in Collin county, where they resided most of the time until a year ago when Mr. Wilson went to Missouri to make his home with his son where he died as above stated.

On Dec. 12, 1929, his dear old wife passed away at their home in McKinney and was buried in Wilson Chapel cemetery about six miles southeast of McKinney. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson owned a farm at Wilson Chapel and lived there during most of their active life. That church and the cemetery took their name from them.

Mr. Wilson was the father of three children, one of whom, W. R. Wilson, survives. His only daughter, Mrs. Bridgefarmer, first wife of Dr. A. H. Bridgefarmer, now of Blue Ridge, died in June, 1932, and the eldest son, George H. Wilson, a highly esteemed citizen, died on his farm about one mile north of McKinney on the twenty-seventh of last September.

Eight grandchildren also survive and two great-granddaughters.

In early manhood, the deceased professed religion and identified himself with the Methodist church in which communion he had lived a devout Christian life ever since. He attended his church services regularly until a few years ago when his hearing became impaired. At the time of his death he held membership in the South Wilcox Street Methodist church here.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Bergman's Chapel in Kansas City, conducted by one of the Methodist pastors of that city. Burial followed in Mount Mariah cemetery in Kansas City. A host of friends and acquaintances of the deceased around Wilson Chapel and McKinney and other parts of this county will be saddened by the announcement of the death of this splendid old Christian gentleman who had resided in our county for so many years.

Nevill Hill of Frisco is rapidly recovering from pneumonia.

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BURIAL SATURDAY WM. D. GRAVES AT MELISSA

William D. Graves, who died at 12:30 o'clock Friday morning, Jan. 6, at his farm home just southwest of Melissa was buried this (Saturday) afternoon in the Melissa cemetery with J. E. Dickenson, connected with the Isaac Crouch funeral home in McKinney in charge of burial arrangements. Funeral services were conducted at the residence by Rev. Thomas Sterck, pastor of the Methodist churches at Anna and Melissa.

The deceased, who was about 60 years old, was born within 200 yards of where he lived when he died. He had been in poor health for nearly two years, being a sufferrer from asthma, but his death came rather unexpectedly as a great shock to his loved ones and friends.

He was a man of solid integrity, of few words and retiring disposition who was held in esteem by every acquaintance.

He is survived by his wife and the following children: C. L., Mallow, Fred, and Raymond Graves, all of Melissa; John Graves of Dallas; Mrs. Walter L. Davis of Fort Worth and Miss M. Graves, teacher at Stiff Chapel. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Jane Leigh of Melissa, by one brother, J. Marsh Graves and one sister, Mrs. H. Wysong, both of Melissa, and also by a half-brother, Henry Leigh of Melissa.

Mrs. Leo Haney has returned to her home at Kilgore after visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. O. Perry in Allen, and sister, Mrs. Glen Scott in this city. She was accompanied home by Miss Serelda Morrow of Pl... who will visit in Kilgore for a few days.

Mrs. O. M. Goddard, residing 609 South Parker street, who has been very ill for several days was much improved on Monday which will be good news to many and numerous friends.

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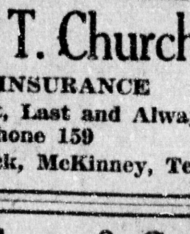

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